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RHEE'S MEN SEIZE NORTHERN TOWN

Reds To Make A Stand At Wonsan Port

TOKYO, October 4, (PTI-Reuter).

SOUTH KOREAN flying columns were today more than halfway from the thirty-eighth parallel to the key east coast port of Wonsan where the Communists are expected to make a stand.

Spearheads of the Third Division pushed on fifteen miles further north after seizing Kosong, 55 miles north of the parallel.

An American officer in Taegu said tonight that Communist guerillas had begun terror raids on South Koreans and in some districts skirmishes were occuring during nights.

South Korean marines mopped up guerillas left behind when the Communists evacuated the south-west port of Mokpo yesterday.

MOPPING UP

For days the Communists identified as troops of the newly formed North Korean 17th Division, had pinned the Marines down to advances of a few hundred yards a day.

British and Australian troops were today mopping up a 600 square mile tract of hills and valleys from the outskirts of Taegu to north-west of Kumchon.

So far they were meeting only sniper resistance, but a big Communist force was believed to be standing by at Wonsan—described by an American staff officer as "the only worthwhile town in North Korea other than the capital, Pyongyang".

Further inland, the South Korean Capital Division was last reported 30 miles north of the parallel.

Near the west coast, American Marines wore down the fanatical resistance of a North Korean rearguard in "hellfire valley" and drove them from their foxholes to capture Uijongbu, 12 miles north of Seoul.

MORE YANKS COME IN

The arrival of more American troops in Korea was disclosed in Tokyo today. A staff officer at General MacArthur's headquarters said the American Third Infantry division "is now in the first command" in Korea. He would not disclose where the division was stationed, when it arrived or where it came from.

No Convoy, Says U. S.

TOKYO: The United States Far East Air Force Command today denied reports that a 100-mile-long convoy of trucks was moving across the Manchurian border in North Korea.

One command spokesman chuckled as he suggested the reports might have orginated from an air attack on a "hundred-vehicle" convoy in the Pyongyang area in which 75 vehicles had been knocked out.

U. N. Rice For Seoul

TOKYO: The first United Nations shipment of 750 tons of rice reached the starving and homeless citizens in Seoul today.

Six doctors, welfare officers and sanitary inspectors, the advance guard of a larger group of United Nations medical teams, have also arrived in the city.

Russia Won't Force War, Says Bevin

SOUTHAMPTON, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin said here today he did not think the Russians "would be as unwise" as to want an all-out war.

Mr. Bevin had arrived from New York in the liner Queen Mary after attending the "Big Three" Foreign Ministers and Atlantic Pact Council meetings and the opening of the United Nations General Assembly session.

In a statement to reporters, he said Russia had "pushed the Koreans into it" and might well have set the match and started a world conflagration. But he thought Russia would be "more careful" after the United Nations success in Korea.

AMERICAN MISSION IN FORMOSA

State Department Not Responsible

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4, (PTI-Reuter): The United States State Department disclaimed today any responsibility for an American Mission which has just completed military survey on Formosa

An official of the Department said the Mission had been sent to this Chinese Nationalist stronghold by General Douglas MacArthur.

"Neither the Mission's actions there nor the subsequent withdrawal have any political implications", he said.

Vyshinsky Backs His Own Plan

LAKE SUCCESS, Oct. 4. (PTI-Reuter): Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vyshinsky said in the United Nations Political Committee today that only the Russian resolution could meet conditions for the "peaceful" future of Korea.

He said he feared that United Nations action would be "merely a cloak" to keep American troops in Korea for an indefinite period.

The Soviet resolution introduced in the Committee on Monday calls for a n immediate cease-fire and the withdrawal of foreign troops."

Andrei Vishinsky

A British resolution sponsored by seven other powers and rejected by M. Vyshinsky calls for a stronger United Nations Commission to help in establishing an independent a n d United Korea.

M. Vyshinsky told reporters that he did not think any compromise would be possible between his proposal and the eight power resolution because his proposal called for the withdrawal of all foreign troops before action could be taken.

Commenting on this, Canada's Foreign Minister Lester Pearson said if Vyshinsky had not told the press that he saw no possible compromise between the two plans "we might have had some results".

M. Vyshinsky dismissed as illegal and a violation of the Charter the Security Council's decisions at the outbreak of hostilities.

"They now claim that everything was legitimate, but the majority can put through anything," he said.

"Even in the all-powerful (British) House of Commons, it can do almost anything but turn a man into a woman.

"Here the majority can do almost anything, but it cannot turn black into

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FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT IN CITY

Mr. W. N. Ewer, well-known broadcaster on international affairs and Foreign Editor of The Daily Herald, London, arrived in Bombay this afternoon with a party of British ophthalmic surgeons on the invitation by Dr. R. Hingorani, a Harley Street specialist. Photo shows L. to R.: Mr. W. N. Ewer, Mrs. Ewer who is the films and Drama critic of The Daily Herald and Mr. R. Hingorani snapped at the airport.

STATE TO HAVE NEW ACCOUNTS SYSTEM

Measure To Safeguard Taxpayers' Interests

POONA, October 4, (PTI).

THE Finance Minister, Mr. V. L. Mehta, indicated in the Bombay Legislative Assembly today that Government were evolving a system of accounts, which would be as perfect as possible for their various state trading concerns.

That was being done to safeguard the interests of tax payers, Mr. Mehta said.

The Finance Minister was replying to the criticism of the report for the year 1947-48 of the Public Accounts Committee which was discussed in the House today.

STATES' LOSS

The Finance Minister said that the number of instances where Government had suffered a loss owing to thefts and negligence on the part of Government servants mentioned in the Committee's report were only 51, as against thousands of transactions undertaken by Government. He hoped, however, that the criticism would impress on Government servants the necessity of their safeguarding Government property as if it was their own.

The Assembly later passed the Bill to amend the Bombay Agricultural Debtors' Relief Act of 1947 which seeks to extend the benefit of the Act to debtors in the states merged into Bombay state. It also removes some minor defects in the Act.

Non-official business will be transacted by the House tomorrow and the day after.

TEAR GAS SQUAD

The police force in Ahmednagar district, recently a centre of Communist activity, is to be strengthened by the attachment of a trained tear gas squad.

The District Magistrate had considered it necessary to have such a squad in view of the experience gained during the general unrest and the deteriorated state of law and order in that district.

The Inspector-General of Police, who agreed with this view got a squad of two sub-inspectors and 20 men trained in the tear gas operations.

The Bombay Assembly today, have made a provision for a sum of Rs. 5,700 for the training of this squad and purchase of equipment and munitions.

The demand will be discussed on October 10 and 11.

The seating capacity of the Council Hall in Bombay is proposed to be enlarged in view of the increase in the membership of the Bombay Legislative Assembly under the new Constitution. The alterations to the existing Council Hall will be carried out by including the lobby of the present hall into the hall proper and providing a new lobby at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,50,000.

The present Council Hall can accommodate about 250 members. With its expansion the hall will provide accommodation for about 350 persons.

"Miracle Boy" Was A Huge Hoax

CUTTACK, Oct. 4 (UPI): The 10-year-old cow-herd boy of the village of Kantalei in Dhenkhenal district, who was reported to be endowed with miraculous power of curing all diseases with the help of roots of twigs, was described as a "huge hoax" perpetrated by interested persons trading on the gullibility of the illiterate people.

Mrs. Malati Choudhury, wife of the Chief Minister of Orissa, told UPI that she had failed to get first-hand evidence about the "miracles" said to have been wrought by the boy. She was convinced that there was no truth in the widely spread superstition that the boy was curing all diseases.

It was unfortunate, she said, that thousands of people should come from distant places to the small village and get ultimately disillusioned. She regretted the press should have given currency to this superstition.

Jordan has complained to the United States about an alleged "act of aggression" by Israel. She alleged that Israeli forces occupied Jordan territory near the junction of the rivers Yarmuk and Jordan on August 28.

CONGRESS MUST BE STRENGTHENED

No Other Party Can Guide Nation, Says Nehru

LUCKNOW, October 4, (PTI).

THE Prime Minister, Pandit Nehru, declared here today that the necessity of strengthening the Congress organisation was never greater than today.

Pandit Nehru, who was addressing the Uttar Pradesh Congress Legislative Party, said "a dangerous situation" would result if the Congress lost people's confidence and found itself unable to show them the right path.

The Congress potentiality to solve real problems would weaken if Congressmen's capacity to grasp such problems became low, he said.

"If the Congress cannot continue to give a lead and guidance to the Nation, there is no other organisation to perform this duty. No other party has such potentiality", he added.

NO COMPLACENCY

The Prime Minister urged Congressmen to shake off their complacency which they had developed after the attainment of independence. "The foundations of freedom would easily be shaken if you are not strong and if the calibre of the Nation is not high," he said.

While other countries in the world were concentrating their attention on their major problems, he added, India was entangled in "trifling matters, forgetting the real problems". Instead of developing the strength to face the issues people engaged themselves in factions and discussions which had no importance. Evidently, such a picture did not promise a bright future.

ONLY GARLANDS?

Pandit Nehru today helped a group of students out of their hesitancy into paying Rs. 101 to the Assam Relief Fund.

The Prime Minister had been informed earlier by his Secretary that the students wanted to present him a purse towards the fund.

But when they met him today at the residence of Pandit Pant the Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister, they did not know what to do after garlanding Pandit Nehru.

"Only garlands? Where is the money?" asked the Prime Minister.

The students promptly paid.

P. M. Back In Delhi

NEW DELHI, Oct. 4 (PTI): Prime Minister Pandit Nehru returned to New Delhi this afternoon from Lucknow.

Mavlankar For London

LONDON, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): Mr. G. V. Mavlankar, Speaker of the Indian Parliament, has accepted the invitation of Colonel D. Clifton Brown, Speaker of the House of Commons, to be present at the ceremony of opening the new chamber of the House of Commons on October 26.

Western Protest

BONN, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): The Western allies today formally handed to the Russians in Berlin a West German Government protest against the Polish-East German agreement establishing the Oder-Neisse line as German-Polish frontier.

ECONOMY DRIVE IN ALL MINISTRIES

MINUTE INVESTIGATIONS

NEW DELHI, October 4, (UPI)

SUBSTANTIAL cuts in the expenditure of Ministries are expected as a result of the economy drive recently launched by Finance Minister C. D. Deshmukh.

While proposals from some of the more important Ministries are still awaited, the Finance Ministry (Revenue and Expenditure Division) has already shown the way by cutting down the estimates for the current year which were already brought down from Rs. 85.88 lakhs in 1949-50 to Rs. 77.74 lakhs in 1950-51.

Mr. K. R. K. Menon, Finance Secretary, who is conducting the investigations regarding economy in all Ministries, has made special arrangements for effecting economy in his own Ministry. Final proposals for economy in the Finance Ministry will, it is understood, be scrutinized by another Secretary, possibly the Cabinet Secretary, in order to ensure that no item of economy escapes the notice of Mr. Menon when dealing with his own department.

Among the possible lines on which economy is expected to be effected are abolition or down-grading of certain posts sanctioned for existing work, rationalisation and simplification of methods of work, and reduction of supervisory labour. Other avenues which will be explored are the dropping of certain items of relatively non-essential work and the re-distribution of work among certain Ministries which deal with the work of an allied nature so as to remove overlapping.

Import Advisory Council

BOMBAY, Wednesday: The fifth meeting of the Import Advisory Council will be held in New Delhi on October 30, it was learnt here today.

The purpose of the meeting is to assist Government in formulating their import policy for the January-June 1951 period.

This is the first time that the Council is being asked to assist Government in shaping their policy for a licensing period.

"INDIA WILL BE THE LOSER"

E. Pakistan Minister On Trade Deadlock

DACCA, Oct. 4 (PTI): Mr. S. M. Afzal, Minister for Civil Supplies, declared here today that the trade deadlock between India and Pakistan would not affect East Pakistan. On the contrary, he said, India would be the loser.

In a press interview, Mr. Afzal said that commodities like eggs, fish and poultry would be sold at a cheaper price in Pakistan due to stoppage of their export to West Bengal.

Referring to the export of jute, Mr. Afzal said there would be a demand for jute if countries other than India were assured of constant supply and they would become permanent purchasers of Pakistan jute. He was of the opinion that shortage of coal in East Bengal could be overcome by enconomising the use of coal and by resorting to substitutes.

Our Trade With Pakistan Iran And Afghanistan

NEW DELHI, October 4.

During August 1950, the provisional figures of total value of foreign trade of India by land with Pakistan, Afghanistan and Iran, as recorded in the External Land Frontier Trade Statistics were as follows:

Merchandise exports	Rs.225 lakhs
Re-exports	Nil
Imports	Rs.711 lakhs
Total trade	Rs. 936 lakhs
Trade in treasure	Nil

The total value of exports fell short of imports by Rs. 486 lakhs.

Canadian Dollar Rate

LONDON, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): The Bank of England changed its rate for the Canadian dollar today, to range between 2.92 and 2.96 dollars, effective from 1-05 p.m. London time.

This morning it had fixed the rate unchanged from yesterday at 2.93 to 2.96 dollars.

The afternoon change amounted to raising the Canadian dollar from 94.75 to 95.25 United States cents. As it had risen to fully that extent in New York overnight, it was not clear why the Bank of England had waited until the afternoon.

Soviet Pin-Prick

BERLIN, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): The Russians have stopped all barge traffic from West Germany to Berlin in the past 48 hours as a reprisal for British restrictions on the eastern waterways, DPA, the West German news agency reported today.

Holland has "drawn the attention" of the United Nations Commission for Indonesia to the military action taken by the Indonesian Government on Ambon Island.

VIENNA GENERAL STRIKE FAILS

Tram Drivers Defy Reds' Call

VIENNA, Oct. 4. (PTI-Reuter): Tram drivers in the American sector, defying the Communist general strike called for midnight last night, today beat up 150 Communists who attempted to prevent the trams running, the Ministry of the Interior said.

Police arrested about 30 of the Communists.

In Vienna trams and local trains were running normally this morning, and the only incident reported from other parts of Austria was at St. Valentin, in the Russian Zone, where 400 workers were marching on the railway station on the main Vienna-Linz line.

The Communist inspired Stewards Conference decreed last Saturday that the strike would start at midnight last night unless the Government agreed to their demands on wages and prices.

FRENCH EVACUATE A FRONTIER POST

Measure To Protect Rice Delta

SAIGON, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): The French army today announced the evacuation of Caubang, its important north-eastern frontier post 15 miles from the China border.

An army spokesman announced extensive regrouping to protect the rice-growing Tonkin Delta from the Viet Minh army. He said the crack Caubang garrison of French Foreign Legion, Moroccan and Vietnamese troops was marching south east towards another outpost Thatkhe, about 30 miles away. The column had passed through the Foreign Legion post, Dongkhe, which fell to Viet Minh guerillas on September 18, without meeting any guerilla resistance.

The spokesman said the evacuation gave the French Army an opportunity to group a strong force which could quickly launch any offensive that might be needed.

The Government of Assam has directed its district officers to take drastic measures including detention without trial against hoarders and profiteers.

When Britons Shivered

SIMLA, Oct. 4. (PTI): President Rajendra Prasad was today shown a blueprint of British withdrawal from India prepared during the advance of Japan in the Far Eastern theatre in World War Two, when he visited the Inter-Services Historical Section here.

The British had planned a "last defence line" between Patna and Chota Nagpur and evacuation via the ports of Karachi and Bombay, Dr. Bisheshwar Prasad, Director of the section, explained to the President.

Dr. Prasad also saw copies of letters between the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem and Herr Hitler.

The Inter-Services Historical Section is now compiling a 35-volume history of the last war.

MORE SMOKERS HAVE CANCER

London Experiments

LONDON, Oct. 4 (UPI): Heavy cigarette smokers over 45 years of age run 50 times more risk than non-smokers of contracting cancer of the lung, experiments just completed by two doctors disclose.

The two doctors are Dr. A. Bradford Hill, honorary Director of the Statistical Research unit of the Medical Research Council, and Dr. R. Doll. Inhaling makes very little difference to the danger, they declare. All smoking is an important factor in lung cancer, but cigarette smokers run greater risks.

Concerned about the great increase in the number of deaths attributed to concer of the lung, they decided to carry out an investigation into the association of cancer with smoking.

The material for the investigation was obtained from 20 London hospitals where there were patients known to be suffering from cancer of the lung, stomach and large bowel. Altogether 649 men and 60 women with cancer of the lung were interviewed.

Patients were closely questioned as to whether they had ever smoked, the age at which they started and stopped the habit the amount they smoked and whether they inhaled.

The non-smokers and smokers were cehcked against each other.

A smoker was defined, for the purpose of the inquiry, as a person who smoked as much as one cigarette a day for as long as a year.

A high proportion of the victims were heavy smokers, 26 per cent of the men and 14.6 per cent of the women having been in the habit of smoking 25 cigarettes a day.

The doctors point out that the carcinogen which gives rise to carcinoma or cancer of the lung may be introduced into the tobacco during its cultivation or preparation. Particular reference is made to the use of arsenic in insecticides.

ASSAULT AND STABBING IN MILL AREA

Eight Arrests: Two Sabha Leaders Detained

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

There was an appreciable increase in the attendance figures of textile workers today. As against yesterday's total of 23,428 workers, today's press communique from the Director of Publicity stated that 26,590 mill hands reported for duty.

The number of mills working today was 23 out of which 13 worked fully and 10 with partial complement.

Peace in the labour area was marred, however, by two cases of assault and stabbing. Mistaken identity led to a striker being assaulted by another striker in the Kalachowki area. In the second case, a worker returning from a mill was stabbed in the Lamington Road Police Station area. He was removed to hospital. Eight persons were taken into custody today for alleged assaults and intimidation.

The Strike Committee of the Mill Mazdoor Sabha in a press statement says, "The strike situation continues to be the same on the 52nd day of the strike, with 58 mills completely closed, one working with full complement and the rest partially."

DETAINED

The Sabha press note adds that Mr. Raja Kadam, Joint Secretary of the Mill Mazdoor Sabha and Mr. Sarjerao Bhosle, a prominent worker of the same organisation were taken into custody by the police yesterday under the Preventive Detention Act.

The note continues that the Madras Port Trust Employees Union, Kesar Sugar Works Labour Union in U. P. and the S.I.R. Labour Union Hospet, have passed resolution congratulating the strikers on their 'heroic struggle' and expressing hopes for their ultimate victory.

The Socialist parties at Malvan, Vizagapatam, Akola and Burhanpur held public meetings on September 27 in response to the appeal made by Acharya Narendra Dev, Chairman of the Socialist Party, to extend their sympathetic support to the "fighting textile workers of Bombay." the note adds

For the 20th time tomorrow the Sabha will defy the ban on meetings and processions when a meeting of the strikers will be held near New City Mills at Kalachowki at 2 p.m.

APPEAL

The Socialist Party and Mill Mazdoor Sabha in a press statement have made the following appeal to all the workers:—

"Refusal on the part of mills to supply rations on credit, has forced the Textile Workers to face starvation. Though we desire to ease the situation, we cannot do much due to the prevailing rationing system in the city.

"Many of the strikers have left the city for their native places, still it is the duty of the workers who are working in other industries to extend their generous help to their starving brothers who are still in the city.

"We, therefore, appeal to the workers from other industries to extend their help to the textile workers in the form of food. Such workers residing in different chawls should take the responsibility of helping the strikers in their respective chawls. We are sure the workers will give full response to this appeal."

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Dated this 3rd day of October, 1950.

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ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

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Versus

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PURSUANT to the Decree Absolute for Sale, made in the above Suit and bearing date the 14th day of April, 1949 and Judge's Order, dated 20th April 1950, the following immovable property will be sold by Public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on THURSDAY, 12th October, 1950, at 4 p. m. (S.T.).

PARTICULARS OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece of land of Foras Freehold tenure, situate at Falkland Road, 5th Cross Lane, admeasuring two hundred and fifty-three square yards or thereabouts and bearing the Collector's New Survey No. 5540 and Cadastral Survey No. 914, Girgaum Division with dwelling house and structures standing thereon bearing Municipal "D" Ward Nos. 2222-23 Street Nos. 10-11.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. Mohile and Parekh, Attorneys for the Plaintiff abovenamed at No. 65, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 29th day of August, 1950.

Sd/- A. H. KIRTIKAR.
Commissioner.

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AUCTION SALES

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY AT DELIMA STREET AND REAY ROAD.

Under instructions from the Court Receiver, Bombay, as Receiver in Suit No. 1248 of 1947 (The International Bank of India, Ltd., vs. Alihussein Abdulhusein and ors.) M/s. BENNETT & CO., will sell by Public Auction on THURSDAY 19-10-50 at 4 p. m. (S.T.) on the premises.

Quit and ground land with dwelling house, about 442 sq. yds., at DeLima Street and Reay Road, Street Nos. 122, 124, 363 and 367 and bounded on North by a sweeper's passage and property of Morarji Vasanji, South by property of Dosabhoy Cursetji Surti, East by DeLima Street and West by Reay Road.

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Delimitation Body Meets

FIXATION OF SEATS IN CITY DISCUSSED

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

The Bombay State Delimitation Advisory Committee met at the Civil Secretariat today under the chairmanship of Mr. S. K. Patil, Mayor of Bombay and B.P.C.C. President.

At the outset, it is learnt, the Committee considered a letter addressed to it by the Chief Minister of Bombay, Mr. B. G. Kher, requesting that the deliberations of the Committee be expeditiously concluded.

The Committee is understood to have replied that its deliberations will be expedited and that delay hitherto caused was because of the delay in the fixation of the total number of constituencies for the State by the Central authorities.

It is now learnt that the Centre has fixed 27 seats for scheduled castes and 29 for scheduled tribes in a total of 315 seats for the Bombay Legislative Assembly

Today the Committee is stated to have discussed the question of fixing the number of seats for Bombay city and certain districts in the Northern and Southern Divisions.

Mr. S. K. Patil told a reporter of this paper when the Committee adjourned today, that everything possible was being done to speed up their work, as requested by the Chief Minister.

BHARATHI DAY COMPETITION

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

The Secretary, Bombay Tamil Sangham writes:

The Bharathi Day Competitions under the auspices of the Sangham will commence on Sunday, October 8, at 9-0 a.m. at the Sangham premises. The Bharathi Music Competition is open for juniors upto 12 years of age and seniors above 12 years and below 18 years of age. The Dr. U. V. Swaminatha Iyer Memorial Eassy & Elocution Competitions are open to all upto 18 years of age. Further details may had from and entries may be sen to the Secretary Bombay Tamil Sangham.

DARING THEFT AT BANK COUNTER

Rs. 10,000 Gone In A Minute!

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

A DARING theft involving a sum of Rs. 10,000 was reported from the Fort area on Tuesday after noon. The police are on the heels of two miscreants who are said to have the decamped with the amount and still remain untraced.

Inquiries indicate that Nagardas Vithaldas Shah, a cashier and accountant of the National Paints and Industrial Works, situated at Masjid Bunder Road, had gone to the National Handlets Bank formerly known as the Netherlands Bank. Hornby Road, to cash a cheque of Rs. 26,000.

Shah got the amount in three wads of notes, which he was counting near the counter. The whole amount was in Rs. 100 notes. Two bundles contained Rs. 10,000 each. and the third Rs. 6,000.

While counting, Shah dropped one of the notes on the floor. He tried to pick it up, but in doing so, he was surprised to find that one of the bundles was gone. Soon he realised that two men who were standing near him had suddenly disappeared. He raised an alarm and people gathered round him to be told that one of the three wads of notes containing Rs. 10,000 had gone in the twinkling of an eye and in his very presence.

Police were immediately informed and they have already started the investigations.

RANCHI, Oct. 4, (UPI): The Government of Bihar has imposed a collective fine of Rs. 5,625 on the inhabitants of villages Akagora, Birahat, Chilmil, and Khiripaghar for having committed offences affecting public safety and maintenance of order.

RATION OFFICIALS SHOW THE WAY

Rice Grown At Andheri

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

THE harvesting ceremony of the paddy grown in the farm of the Andheri Rationing Office was performed early this morning by Mr. D. N. Mehta, Secretary, Agriculture Department, Government of Bombay.

The paddy has been grown on an area of less than an acre by the efforts of the staff of the Andheri Rationing office and a couple of other rationing offices and no paid manual or outside labour was employed on the field.

The entire work, from clearing the field of weeds to ploughing and manuring it, was undertaken and executed by the staff members, who have succeeded in raising a bumper crop with an expected yield of about 15 maunds of rice.

LAUDABLE EFFORT

Mr. Mahta, who described the efforts of the staff as "laudable" paid a tribute to the work done in Andheri when he said he was so impressed that he would himself "like to roll up my sleeves and go into action on the field one of these days."

As an attempt at "grow more food", the Andheri Rationing Staff turned the backyard of their offices last November into a paddy field and using a well in the compound solved problem of irrigating the field. The seeds were sown early November and the paddy crop, it was stated, has turned out to be surprisingly rich, a fact which was commented upon by Mr Mahta today.

Over 600 workers worked for more than 7,500 hours on the field in their spare time and on holidays. The staff donated towards the expenses connected with the venture. The Government sanctioned a loan of Rs. 1,500 initially, part of which has been returned to the Government out of the proceeds obtained for sale of vegetables grown on another part of the field. Actually, the Committee showed a profit of about Rs. 500 from the enterprise.

Journalists present at the harvesting ceremony at Andheri today were given details of the way in which the rationing staff had utilised some pieces of land at the Aarey Milk Colony to grow vegetables which are now being sold in large quantities to Government offices and the Government Meals Canteen at the Council Hall. The farm at the Milk Colony is also run entirely on a voluntary basis and the work there is done mostly on holidays.

BRITISH EXAMPLE

Mr. Mahta recalled the efforts of the British people soon after the end of the last world war when every available piece of land was put under the plough. He said that in India, where there was larger scope for work, the people should take a keener interest in the solution of the food problem, for, after all, on the solution of it "depends our existence". He commended growing vegetables in every available space in Bombay so that the necessity of obtaining them for comparatively far off places was eliminated.

The Agriculture Secretary complimented Mr. M. S. Nadkarni, the Secretary of the Rationing Staff "Grow More Food" Committee for "his commendable zeal and enthusiasm and his interest in the scheme" and Mr. A. B. Qurieshi, Controller of Rationing, for the encouragement he gave to the venture.

The Andheri Rationing Office is situated just opposite the Railway Station and the staff said that they would welcome any members of the public who would like to see the farm and study how small pieces of land could be cultivated to advantage.

Cloth Prices In Madhya Pradesh

(From Our Correspondent)

JUBBULPORE, Oct. 4.

The Textile and Yarn Commissioner, Madhya Pradesh, has directed that the cloth manufactured in Madhya Pradesh zone be distributed to the retail dealers in the State by the wholesalers at the rate of 4 per cent over the ex-mill rates marked on the pieces of cloth.

This rate of 4 per cent will be applicable in whole of the State except the districts of Saugor, Mandla, Bastar, Surguja and Jashpur sub-division of Raigarh district. The rate of discount in Saugor and Mandla districts has been fixed at 5 per cent and in the districts of Bastar, Surguja and Jashpur sub-division at 5-5/8 per cent, respectively.

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR MIDWIFERY

Municipal Officer's Proposal

BOMBAY, Wednesday

The Municipal Commissioner has intimated to the Standing Committee of the Bombay Municipal Corporation that he has proposed to start a training school for Midwifery Training at the Municipal General Hospital, Sion

He has stated that the Hospital, has 50 beds for obstetrical and gynaecological cases and as great scarcity for trained nurses in midwifery is being felt the scheme has become necessary

An inspection committee appointed by the Bombay Nurses, Midwives, and Health Visitors' Council had gone into the matter and had recommended that 16 nurses could be trained by the Hospital at a time.

He has also proposed that the Hospital's Gynaecologist should be paid an honorarium of Rs. 100 per term of six months, so that he can function as an Honorary Lecturer in Gynaecology for the class, in addition to his other duties.

ALLEGED SALE OF SUGAR

Three Arrested

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Nagindas Motichand Lotiya, Dialal Maganlal Jani and Wadilal Harjivandas Shah, Manager, Cashier and godown-keeper, respectively, of the Bombay and Suburban Hotel Owner's Association were arrested yesterday by the Crime Branch II, Bombay C.I.D. for allegedly profiteering in crystal sugar.

It is alleged that the accused sold two maunds of crystal sugar to a bogus customer sent by the police at the rate of Rs. 40 a maund, the controlled price of sugar being Rs. 12 annas 4 per maund.

The police, later, in a search of the premises of the Association found one maund of sugar and four boxes of cube sugar.

The accused were produced at the Mazagaon Court today when they were ordered to be released on bail by Mr V. K. Muranjan.

VACANCIES IN W.H.O. STAFF

Applications Are Invited

BOMBAY, Wednesday: The World Health Organisation is anticipating the need, during the coming months, for addition to its staff. The posts that are to be filled up are those of Visual Media Officers (Films Officers and Visual Information Officers), Medical Officers and Auditors.

The primary task of the Officer in charge of Visual Media is to establish working relationships with sources of film and still photograph production in the member Nations and with related non-governmental agencies through which W.H.O. information can be disseminated, and to arrange for systematic coverage and distribution of W.H.O stories through such channels.

Medical Officers (Legal and Quarantine) will assist the Chief of Sanitary conventions and Quarantine Section. There will also be need for medical educators as well as teaching personnel in the related fields of Public Health, more specifically persons having experience in the organisation and administration of teaching institutions such as medical schools, schools of Public Health and their various departments.

Auditors are expected to perform professional auditing work of a high level involving the examination of financial and administrative practices throughout the Organisation.

Qualified candidates from Bombay State are advised to send in their applications to the Surgeon-General or the Director of Public Health, Bombay State, for onward transmission to the World Health Organisation.

2 CRORE PURSE FOR SARDAR

Gujerat P. C. C Plans

BOMBAY, Wednesday: The Gujerat Provincial Congress Committee has decided to celebrate on a grand scale the 76th birthday of Deputy Prime Minister Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel which falls on October 31.

The Committee proposes to collect a purse of Rs. 2,00,00,000 and offer it to the Sardar. The main collections will be made from Gujerat, Kathiawar and Cutch

In Bombay, an influential committee has been formed to chalk out plans for the celebration of the birthday. The Committee will be presided over by Mr. R. G. Saraiya. The other members will be Mr. G. N. Desai, Mr. Ramdas Kilachand, Mr. Naval H. Tata, Mr. Bhawanji Arjun Khimji and Dharamsi Khatau. The work of collecting funds commenced today when the Saurashtra Trust paid Rs. 1,000

The amount collected will be handed over to the Sardar on October 31 at Ahmedabad to be utilised for any cause which he chooses.

Delay In Furnishing Ground Of Detention

HIGH COURT'S STRICTURES

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

THE FULL BENCH of the Bombay High Court consisting of the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Gajendragadkar and Mr. Justice Dixit held this morning that if grounds for detention were not furnished to a detenu within a reasonable time of his detention it would be illegal to detain him any longer. To do so would be to act in contravention of the procedure established by law.

The Full Bench was hearing the Habeas Corpus petition of Mr. P. K. More, an employee of the Bombay Telephone Workshop, who challenged his detention under the Preventive Detention Act.

At first, the petition was on the board of the Division Bench consisting of Mr. Justice Gajendragadkar and Mr. Justice Dixit.

The petitioner contended there that the grounds for his detention were communicated to him twenty days after the order of detention was served upon him. Detention was bad in law because the delay on the part of authorities was contrary to the procedure.

The Commissioner of Police swore an affidavit that there was no delay on his part. The grounds were furnished with reasonable promptitude. He also explained why twenty days had to pass before he disclosed the grounds.

Their Lordships referred the petition to the Chief Justice with a view that it may be heard by a Full Bench as the petitioner had raised an important point of law

After a prolonged hearing the Full Bench held that the delay in the present case was not unreasonable yet they did not wish to lay down that such delay in every case could be justifiable. Their Lordships could not see any reason why grounds could not be furnished to a detenu within a week or ten days of detention.

Their Lordships referred the application back to the Division Bench to dispose it of on merits.

Mr. K. T. Sule with Mr. B. G. Padhye appeared for the petitioner.

The Advocate General appeared for the State.

TOKEN STRIKE CALL

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

A call for a token strike of all the employees of the Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company, has been given by the Federation of Oriental Life Office Employees' Unions. The strike will be observed on the 12th of this month.

The reason assigned for the strike is that the Award of the Tribunal in the case of the Oriental employees which was published in 1949, did not solve their problems, and was unsatisfactory.

CHARGE OF POISONING HIS EMPLOYER

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Quality silk valued at Rs. 661 and add annas, proved so much of a temptation to Dhannu Krishnagir, a coolie, that he is stated to have poisoned his employer, a hawker for whom he was carrying the precious cargo, while on a beat at Mahim on Monday, subsequently abandoning him at Marine Drive in an unconscious condition.

It was stated that Dhannu had been hired by the poisoned man for carrying the silk, while the hawker cried his wares. During the course of the day, Dhannu produced some "laddus", and handed them over to his employer. After a couple of helpings, the hawker, felt queer and slumped down unconscious.

Dhannu was alleged to have enlisted the help of four men, and brought the unconscious man to Marine Drive and abandoned him there.

The police have arrested in this connection, two other persons, Ambu Manganmal and Gangu Ramchandra, while two other alleged accomplices are still at large.

It was stated that the unconscious hawker was removed by the police to the G.T. Hospital, where he recovered after treatment. Datura poison, is alleged to have bee ndetected.

The accused were produced this morning before Mr. R. S. Parikh, Presidency Magistrate, Esplanade Court, who ordered them to be released on bail.

MUZAFFARPUR CLOTH SHOPS RAIDED

MUZAFFARPUR, Oct. 4 (PTI): The local magistracy swooped down on the shops of every cloth importer, including wholesalers and retailers, here this morning and started a simultaneous check-up of cloth stocks with the aid of the police.

Police pickets were posted at each shop, and the sub-divisional magistrate of Muzaffarpur supervised the verification of stock registers, cash and actual stock in godowns.

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CITY & SUBURBS

Today's Engagements

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION: Meeting at 3-30 p.m.

HUMANITARIAN LEAGUE: Public meeting at Sunderbai Hall to accord welcome to members of the Animal Welfare Delegation from London 5 p.m.

PROGRESSIVE GROUP: Reception to the Commonwealth Cricket Team Green's Hotel 6-15 p.m.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY: Annual general meeting Town Hall 6 p.m.

BOMBAY ART SOCIETY: An exhibition of paintings by Mr. Laxman Pai will be opened by Mr. Justice Karl J. Khandalawala at Society's Salon 6-15 p.m.

PROGRESSIVE GROUP: "At Home" to the Commonwealth Cricket Team on Thursday, the 5th October at Green's Hotel at 6-15 p.m. The Hon. Mr. M. C. Chagla, Mr. Vijay Merchant and Mr. A. S. DeMello will speak on the occasion.

MRS. MONICA EWER: (Film and Drama critic of the "Daily Herald", London) will meet the artistes and members of Indian National Theatre at 6 p.m. on Friday the 6th at Gujarati Forbes Hall, Vithalbhai Patel Road, Bombay.

FUNDS FOR RESCUE HOMES

Women's Show Nets Rs. 5000

BOMBAY, Wednesday: The Bombay Presidency Women's Council held a show yesterday to collect funds for rescue homes for Indian women and girls. Total collection amounted to Rs. 5,000.

Mrs. Sarladevi Sarabhai who presided over the function commended the work done by B.P.W.C. and stressed the need for more rescue homes. Tracing the history of the Rescue Home at Umerkhadi she said: "The Rescue Home was perhaps the first of its kind in Bombay and we owe a debt of gratitude to the pioneers of this movement in India". She expressed the hope that the institution will not feel shortage of funds.

Industrial Dispute

BOMBAY, Wednesday: The industrial dispute between Shri D. K. Patkar, Proprietor, Bassein Motor Service Company, and his employees has been referred by the Government of Bombay for adjudication to the Industrial Tribunal of Shri P. S. Bakhle. The dispute relates to the workers' demand of two months' salary as compensation on account of the closing down of the Company and gratuity at the rate of one month's salary, with dearness allowance, for each year of service in the Company.

Maj. Gen. Prem Kishen Meets Dr. Adenauer

BONN, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): Major General Prem Kishen, Head of the Indian Mission in Bonn, yesterday met the German Federal Chancellor, Dr. Konrad Adenauer, and discussed economic and political matters with him.

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"Proposed Changes In Company Law, Vague"

MERCHANTS' CHAMBER'S CRITICISM

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

THE INDIAN MERCHANT'S CHAMBER, in a memorandum to the Government of India, has criticised the proposed amendment to the Indian Company Law as being "vague in certain cases and not precise."

The memorandum said that the changes suggested in the amendment, besides being of a fundamental character, covered a wide sphere, and it would be desirable to concentrate attention on changes which were considered immediately essential and postpone changes of a secondary nature.

On the question of the managing agency system and its regulation the memorandum stated that the proposals contained in the amendment indicated an "inadequate appreciation" of the part played by the organisation of managing agency in the pioneering of industry in India. It said that any attempted to "put too rigid a restriction on the working and functioning of this system of management is likely to come in the way of further expansion and development of joint stock enterprise in the country."

OPPOSITION

Opposing the proposal that the "same managing agent should not be eligible to act as managing agent of two or more companies conducting the same line of business" the memorandum said the proposal was "impractical".

It argued: "on the other hand, there are obvious advantages in the same managing agent being entrusted with the work of managing more than one undertaking in the same sphere. Apart from the common managing agency reducing overhead costs, making for economy in expenditure on research, bringing about uniformity in policy and practice etc., there are further advantages in that the experience of the persons connected with the managing agency can readily be made available for setting up and starting new units in the same sphere of business in other centres."

In support of this view, the memorandum stated that the existence of a common managing agency undertaking in the case of air transport companies, hydro-electric companies, textile and jute mills, coal and tea companies had accelarated the pace of progress and expansion.

INVESTIGATIONS

While conceding the need for a freer governmental investigation and inspection into the affairs of companies, the memorandum observed that "investigations naturally give rise to rumours doing harm to the company's credit."

It was, therefore, felt that "except where the interests of creditors and public are affected, the right of the general body of shareholders should not be interfered with". While such investigation was intended to safeguards the rights of minority interests of shareholders, to a certain extent it detracted from the autonomy of the company.

Criticising the proposal that the registrar should be empowered to invoke the help of a police officer for the purpose of investigation as being "retrogade and reactionary," the memorandum said that "the authorities of a joint stock company are not to be treated as criminals before anything in the nature of an offence has been proved against them" and wanted the accepted distinction between civil and criminal proceedings to be retained in such investigations.

PAID-UP CAPITAL

The Chamber did not favour the proposal, contained in the amendment, requiring that the paid-up capital of a company should not be less than half of the subscribed capital, which in turn, should not be less than half of the authorised capital. The memorandum stated. "While there is some force in the point of view that subscribed capital should not be less than half the authorised capital, the Committee are not agreeable to the suggestion that the paid-up capital should not be less than half of the subscribed capital."

On the question of issue of shares, the memorandum disagreed with the offical proposal that capital of a company, other than a banking company, may consist of preference shares, ordinary shares and deferred shares. It said: "we are not in favour of allowing deferred shares to be issued in future and, therefore, suggest that the law should make it clear that no future issue of deferred shares would be allowed.

The memorandum welcomed the proposal that such of the new provisions as may be made applicable to Indian private companies should equally apply to foreign companies.

AMRIT KAUR MEDICAL COLLEGE

Health Minister Unveils Signboard

NEW DELHI, Oct. 4, (PTI): Rajkumari Amrit Kaur, Health Minister, today unveiled the signboard of a medical college at the site where the college building is proposed to be constructed.

Funds are being raised from the public for the college which is being named Amrit Kaur College.

SAMALDAS GANDHI EXPELLED

Disciplinary Action

RAJKOT, Oct. 4 (PTI): Mr. Samaldas Gandhi, former Revenue Minister of Saurashtra has been expelled from the Saurashtra Congress Assembly Party, as his speeches and writings were found to be against the rules and regulations of the Congress.

CHARGE DENIED

Mr. Samaldas Gandhi has issued the following statement:—

"The Congress Legislative Party of Saurashtra has decided to take disciplinary action against me. But I have denied the charge of indiscipline before now, and my denial still stands.

"The day when the freedom of speech and the individuality of man are crushed by the force of Brute Majority, all our hopes and aspirations of Freedom will have vanished. But I am sure and I want the present masters of Saurashtra to realise fully that in spite of all their wanton and terrorist methods these hopes and aspirations of people shall not only sustain, but also wipe out the present cult of Congress autocracy.

"I consider the action taken by my colleagues as wholly unjustified and illegal. I am also contemplating the future course of action. I realise that it is my duty to lay before the people of Saurashtra who are the ultimate masters of those who try to serve their motherland, the full story which has led to the present unlawful action.

"In the meantime, sane people in Saurashtra entertain no doubt whatsoever that God willing it shall be proved beyond doubt at no distant date that the Congress in Saurashtra never was, it not, and shall never remain as reserved heritage of a power-ridden clique whose various antics are driving the people of Saurashtra to their final awakening."

Increase In Cholera Incidence

BOMBAY, Wednesday: There was a slight increase in the incidence of cholera in Bombay State during the week ended September 23. Anti-cholera measures have been intensified by the appointment of additional staff of inoculators in the affected areas, and especially in the districts of Satara South and Satara North, where more cases were reported during the week under report.

Blind British Doctor Back From U. K.

BOMBAY, Wednesday: Dr. Stanley Beer, the blind British doctor, who has returned to India from U.K. to take charge of the Physiotherapy Department in the Emery Hospital, Anand, paid a visit to the Victoria Memorial Hospital for the Blind, Tardeo, yesterday.

Dr. Beer inspected various department of the school and appreciated the work done in the school.

TODAY'S RADIO

THURSDAY, Oct. 5.

AIR NEWS FROM DELHI

Bengali 7-30 a.m. 2-50 p.m. 7-30 English 8 a.m. 1-30 p.m. 6 Gujarati 8-45 a.m. 7-45 3-15 Hindi 8-15 a.m. 1-40 p.m. Malayalam 7-30 a.m. 7-30 p.m. Marathi 8-30 a.m. 12-50 p.m. Oriya 7-15 a.m. 1-10 p.m. 7-15 8-15 p.m. Tamil 7-15 a.m. 2 p.m. 7-15 Telugu 7 a.m. 1-50 p.m. 7 Urdu 9 a.m. 8 p.m.

BOMBAY

7-30 a.m. Mangal Prabhat. 7-40 Programme Summary. 7-45 Hindi By Radio. 8-15 Jagannathbuwa Purohit, Khayal. 1-10 Madhur Gani. 1-40 British Concert Hall. 4-20 School Broadcast. 5-30 Nalini Borkar, Khayal. 5-45 Khadim Husain. 6-10 Jagannathbuwa Purohit, Khayal. 6-40 Thumri. 6-50 K. H. Dalal, Khayal. 7-10 Local Announcements. 7-30 Nalini Borkar, Khayal Eman. 7-45 For Industrial Workers 8-30 Jat Lakhwanun Ke. 8 45 Kavi and Kavita. 9-15 K. H. Dalal, L. G. songs. 9-45 Talk in English. 10 Ken Mac's Band.

VARIATIONS

7-30 a.m. Mangal Prabhat. 7-40 As in Bombay A. 8 Khadim Husain Sarangi. 8-45 Selections From Gajalanjali. 12-45 p.m. Tantrakari. 1 Madhur Gani. 1-50 Dwandwa Geeten. 4-20 As in Bombay A. 5-30 As in Bombay A. 6 Compositions of M. G. Rangnekar. 6-20 For the Villagers. Marathi. 6-50 For the Villagers, Kannada. 7-20 Asan Mirani L. H. songs. 7-30 Commercial News. 8-15 Hindi by Radio. 8-30 Film Review. 9-30 Prem Deeksha. 10 Jagannathbuwa Purohit, Khayal.

BARODA

8-15 a.m. Swar Vilas. 8-30 Yashwantrai A. Joshi, 6-20 p.m. Yashwantrai A. Joshi, Vocal music, 6-30 Programme for rural listeners, 7 Lessons in Hindi, 7-15 Talk in Gujarati, 7-30 Programme in Gujarati for Children, 8 Gujarati geeto, 8-10 Local Announcements, 8-30 Film songs, 9-15 Yashwantrai A. Joshi, 9-30 As in Ahmedabad.

AHMEDABAD

8-15 a.m. V. R. Athavale. 8-30 Anand Mangal. 6-20 p.m. As in Baroda, 6-30 Haji Mohammad, 6-45 Geet Laheri, 7 Hindi Seekhen, 7-15 Talk in Gujarati, 7-30 Majoor Bhaio Mate, 8 Sthanik Samachar, 8-5 Haji Mohammad, 8-30 Haji Mohammad, 8-45 V. R. Athavale. Classical Music, 9-15 Patanga, 9-30 Nimagagi.

Sir Cusrow Wadia Passes Away

NOTED MILLOWNER & PHILANTHROPIST

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

SIR CUSROW WADIA, a prominent millowners and philantropist of Bombay passed away in Geneva on Tuesday.

Sir Cusrow retired from his business in 1934 and settled down in Europe.

He was born in 1869 and educated at King's College, London. He took an active part with his brother, Sir Ness Wadia, in building up the cotton textile industry in Bombay. He joined

Nowrojee Wadia and Sons in 1888. He was the founder of the Century Mills in 1897 and was its Chairman till his retirement in 1934. He was the Chairman of the Bombay Millowners Association in 1918 and took an active interest in the Association's work. He was, in addition, the Chairman of the Indian Cables and of the Bombay Dyeing Mills and a director of the Tata Iron and Steel Company.

The Wadia Brothers—Sir Cusrow and Sir Ness—along with their mother, Bai Jerbai, have spent Rs. 20-1/4 lakhs on the erection of Navroz Baug, Rs. 35-3/4 lakhs on Rustom Baug, Rs. 15 lakhs on Jer Baug and Rs. 27 lakhs on Cusrow Baug.

Sir Cusrow gave a donation of Rs. 7 lakhs to the Government of Bombay in 1942 for land development projects in the dry areas of the State. He was knighted in 1932.

The offices of the Bombay Dyeing and the Century Mills and other mills in the city remained closed today as a mark of respect to the memory of Sir Cusrow.

PADDY HARVESTING BEGINS IN STATE

Locust Pest In Broach District

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Harvesting of early varieties of paddy has started in various parts of Bombay state, according to official reports reaching here.

The locust pest has appeared in some parts of Mehsana and Banaskantha districts and grasshoppers have done damage to crops in Broach distict according to these reports.

The fodder supply has improved generally all over the State except parts of Ahmedabad district where it has deteriorated after the recent heavy rains.

Standing kharif crops were in good condition in East Khandesh, Sholapur, Ahmednagar and Thana Districts. Interculturing of cotton was in progress in Broach, Baroda, Surat and Amreli districts. While the weeding of kharif crops was in progress in a number of districts. Tilling for the ensuing rabi season has begun in some districts of Gujarat and Maharashtra.

HEAVY RAINS IN MALABAR

All-India Weather

POONA, Oct. 4 (PTI): The following is the daily weather summary for Wednesday.

Conditions are unsettled in the East Arabian Sea off Malabar-Kanara coast where a depression may form.

Thundershowers hve been widespread and locally heavy in Malabar South Kanara and Travancore-Cochin. They have also been widespread in Mysore and local in sub-Himalayan West Bengal, South Deccan (desh) and Tamil Nad. Scattered showers have been reported from Assam, the South Konkan and North Hyderabad.

Night temperatures were appreciably below normal in North-west India, Uttar Pradesh, the central parts of the country, Chota Nagpur and Bihar.

FORECAST VALID UNTIL THURSDAY EVENING: Rainfall accompanied by thunderstorms will be widespread in Travancore-Cochin, Malabar-South Kanara, the South Konkan, South Deccan (desh), Mysore and Tamil Nad. Thundershowers are also likely and locally in Rayalassema and North Deccan (desh) and at a few stations in the North Konkan, West Hyderabad, coastal Andhradesa, Gangetic West Bengal and Assam. Scattered heavy falls of rain are likely in Malabar-South Kanara and Mysore.

No large change in night temperatures is expected.

An earthquake shock of moderate intensity at its origin with epicentre at latitude 28 degrees point five north, longitude 94 degrees point five east in North Assam about 1,485 miles from Poona, was recorded by the seismographs in the Meteorological Office, Poona at 4.37 a.m. IST today.

The following is the daily weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during the past 24 hours from 1st October 1950 and departure from normal recorded at 8-30 a.m. IST on 4th October 1950:

Ahmedabad 97 73 0 0 minus 0.1, Akola 95 69 0 0 minus 0.5, Allahabad 91 68 0 0 minus 0.7, Baroda 97 69 0 0 minus 0.2, Belgaum 85 67 0.2 1.3 plus 0.4 Bellary 91 74 0.1 0.1 minus 0.7, Bhopal 90 65 0 0 minus 0.3, Bhavnagar 97 74 0 0 minus 0.2, BOMBAY 90 77 — 0.1 minus 0.5, Cherrapunji 75 63 0 2.4 minus 3.0, Darjiling 65 55 0.2 0.7 minus 0.4, Gwalior 93 68 0 0.1, Gorakhpur 93 74 0 0 minus 0.9, Gulbarga 94 75 0 0 minus 0.5, Hanamkonda 93 76 0 0 minus 0.5 Harnai 84 77 0 0 Honavar 92 80 0.3 0.3, Hyderabad (Dn.) 92 79 T o minus 0.3, Indore 89 9 0.1 minus 0.3, Jaipur 94 62 0 0 minus 0.1, Jamshedpur 91 70 0 0, Jubbulpore 90 65 0 0 minus 0.5, Kanpur 93 66 0 0 minus 0.6, Khandwa 93 65 0 0 minus 0.4, Kodaikanal 63 52 0.7 1.5 plus 0.3, Kolhapur 88 71 T 0.8, Kurnool 91 70 0 0 minus 0.5, Mahabaleshwar 79 61 0.6 1.7 minus 0.2, Mangalore 84 74 1.1 1.7 plus 0.8, Marmagao 85 75 0 0 minus 2.1, Mercara 77 63 0.7 1.5 plus 0.4, Mussoorie 66 53 0 0 minus 0.6, Mysore 86 68 1.1 1.1 plus 0.2, Ootacamund 64 49 T 0.3 minus 0.7, Pachmarhi 80 56 0 0.2 minus 0.5, Poona 89 71 0.3 1.1 plus 0.3, Rajkot 99 74 0 0 minus 0.1, Shillong 75 59 0.5 1.0 minus 0.1, Sholapur 98 72 T 0 minus 0.6, Simla 65 53 0 0 minus 0.4, Surat 99 75 0 0 minus 0.4.

City Bank Employees To Go On Indefinite Strike

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Employees of the Bank of Baroda, at their urgent meeting held on Tuesday, unanimously decided to go on an indefinite strike if the Bank management refused to implement the recent award of the Bank Tribunal. The strike is scheduled to commence from October 16.

The meeting unanimously passed a resolution condemning the attitude of the Bank management in not implementing the award, and called upon the Government to compel the management to abide by the award.

Curtain Rung Down On Macropolo Litigation

(Before the Hon'ble the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Bhagwati)

Mrs. Daria de Vita Macropolo .... Appellant (Plaintiff)

vs.

Costa John Mavricakis and others ..... Respondent (Defendants)

ON a compromise arrived at after the appeal had gone on for six days, Their Lordships dismissed an appeal from a judgment of Mr. Justice Coyajee dismissing the plaintiff's suit. The curtain was thus rung down on one of the most bitterly contested litigations in recent years for the control of the well-known firm of Messrs. D. Macropolo & Co. Ltd., tobacconists. The hearing before the trial judge had lasted 40 working days.

THE CASE

The plaintiff was the owner of D. Macropolo & Co. which in 1932 she converted into a private limited company. Four thousand shares of Rs. 100 each were issued to the plaintiff, one share to her husband, one share to the first defendant and one share to Leith of Messrs. A. F. Ferguson & Co. Auditors. In 1934, two more shares were allotted, one to the second defendant Leucatos, and the other to the third defendant, Philipean. In 1939, the fourth defendant D. P. Sethna Solicitor of Messrs. Mulla & Mulla, and Cole of A. F. Ferguson & Co., Auditors, were allotted one share each. The plaintiff being married to an Italian, her shares vested in the Custodian of Enemy Property when Italy joined the war in 1940. Pursuant to the Articles of the Company, the Custodian got the shares valued by A. F. Ferguson & Co. who valued them at Rs 65 each and offered them for sale to the first four defendants The shares were bought in equal numbers by the first three defendants. In consequence of disagreement between the first three defendants, those defendants allotted 66 shares to Sethna (defendant 4) and his wife (defendant 5) at Rs. 77 per share.

The plaintiff filed the present suit for a declaration that the defendants held her 4,000 shares as her nominees and trustees and that they were bound to hand over the shares to her on payment of the price which they had paid for them.

DENIAL

The defendants denied that they were mere nominees for the plaintiff. Accepting that contention, the trial judge had dismissed the suit with costs. The plaintiff appealed.

After a protracted hearing of the appeal, the plaintiff and her husband unreservedly withdrew all allegations against the defendants. In view of the friendly relations that had formerly subsisted between her deceased husband and defendants 1, 2 and 3, defendants 1 to 5 agreed to pay to Rs. 1,50,000 to the plaintiff, to forego the decree for costs made in their favour by the trial court, and to return Rs. 50,000 deposited in court by the plaintiff to her attorneys.

Their Lordships agreed with the trial judge that the charges made against the fourth defendant D. P. Sethna were entirely unfounded and that his professional reputation as a Solicitor had not been affected by them.

Mr. K. A. Somjee with Mr. B. J. Diwan instructed by Messrs. Daphtary Fereira & Diwan appeared for the appellant.

Mr. M. L. Maneksha with Sir Jamshedji Kanga instructed by Messrs. Mulla & Mulla appeared for respondents 1, 2 and 3.

Mr. H. M. Seervai with Mr. J. H Vakeel instructed by Messrs. Kanga & Co. appeared for respondents 4 and 5; and instructed by Messrs. Mulla & Mulla appeared for Messrs. D. Macropolo & Co. Ltd.

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Textile Leaders' Appeals Admitted

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

THEIR LORDSHIPS Mr. Justice Rajadhyaksha and Mr. Justice Chainani admitted appeals filed by Mr. D. G. Mahajani and others. President and Secretaries of the Mill Mazdoor Sabha against their conviction and sentence of 6 months' R.I. and a fine of Rs. 1,000 for the offence of having incited textile workers to an illegal strike under Section 27 of the Industrial Disputes Act. The appellants contended that the strike was not illegal as there was no valid award binding on the appellants. The appeals will come up for hearing in due course.

Mr. Purshottam Trikamdas, Mr N C. Bharucha, Mr. D. D. Vania, Mr. N V. Phadke and Mr. M. P. Vyas appeared for the appellants.

INDIA'S GREETINGS TO PORTUGAL

NEW DELHI, Oct. 5.

Tht Prime Minister and Minister for External Affairs has sent the following message to the Foreign Minister of the Republic of Portugal on the occasion of the anniversary of the proclamation of the Republic of Portugal which falls today:

"May I convey to Your Excellency and to the Government and people of Portugal, the greetings and good wishes of the Government and people of India on the anniversary of the proclamation of the Republic of Portugal."

The Bombay Chronicle

COMMUNISM AND NATIONALISM

It was an impassioned plea for understanding that Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru made in his inaugural address to the conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations at Lucknow. He pointed out the difficulties that prevent understanding, despite all our modern facilities for acquiring knowledge. It was with detachment that he indicated the obstacles in the way of Asians understanding or being understood by the West. He remarked that with the experience of colonial rule so vivid before our minds, it was not surprising that we in Asia tended to look with suspicion on anything which even remotely resembled colonialism. "I ventured," he said, "in a spirit of arrogance, once to say that many Western countries lacked subtlety in their dealings with Asia. Of course, I can say the reverse with equal truth. That is, my own countrymen and Asian countries lack subtlety in their understanding of the West or in dealing with it." It was in the necessary task of bringing about that understanding on both sides that Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru felt lay the opportunity and responsibility of organisations like the Institute of Pacific Relations. It is desirable, however, that the limitations of such organisations should also be clearly seen. It is more than likely that where prejudice and preconceived idea play so great a part, such associations have to struggle for long years in study. It is by no means an easy task or one which will always receive instant recognition, though today, with a world that has been made small by the conquest of space and time, the appreciation is greater than ever before.

It was natural that Pandit Jawaharlal should refer in passing to war. He asked his audience to keep in mind that, if there have to be wars, they should always remember that they are bad and have to be stopped as soon as they can be. It is important also to bear in mind that wars are easier to prevent than to stop and that once started they have a tendency of growing beyond all calculation. In the context of India's own foreign policy, however much one might desire her to be neutral in the event of an unfortunate major conflict, it is well to bear in mind that practically it will prove an impossibility. The very considerations which would make neutrality advantageous to this country—the industrial advance she has today over other nations in this part of the world, for one thing—will work to suck her into the vortex. It is difficult to chart a course in international affairs because so many others are involved and the factors are so incalculable. The United Nations furnishes a striking example. The veto was devised, as was the privileged status accorded to the Big Powers, because it was feared that otherwise the Big Powers would be hustled into a conflict by the irresponsible decisions of small nations. Events have shown that these precautions have created a difficult situation where there is no force to restrain Big Power rivalries and antagonisms. The point is relevant in the discussion of the future of Asian nations because the germs of a third force lie in this region. For those germs to develop, it is essential that neutrality must turn away from a mere negative course and pursue actively a positive line of tackling the problems of the day. It must necessarily be a cooperative effort on the part of as many nations as are willing to shoulder the responsibility of working for peace.

Speaking of Communism, Pandit Jawaharlal was particular to put forward the view of non-Communist Asia. He said that the position had to be seen through the eyes of Asian nationalism. It was a position not dissimilar to that of India in the Second World War where the West pressed Nationalist India to rally to the effort of overthrowing Nazism and Fascism, and Nationalist India answered with the plea that, as things stood she could not do very much by way of effective aid. There was a gentle thrust in the question posed by Pandit Jawaharlal when he asked what the Conference meant by Asian Nationalism and how it differed from its European variety. The answer would go a long way to clearing the air. Asian nationalism, as contrasted with West European nationalism, is different. It recognises, as the West does not, that there is room for diversity of political systems, in a cooperative world. Where it does not, and in so far as it does not, it can contribute only conflict, not peace, to the world. It has to be appreciated that there are historic reasons for this difference. The one suffered from colonialism; the other was weighed down by imperialism. Pandit Jawaharlal referred to the psychological hangover of colonialism; there are other aspects to the question as well which need to be taken into account. To most Asian countries, confronted as they are with internal problems, nationalism, moreover, offers a wider horizon than the ones to which they have so far been accustomed to. This implies much more than outsiders generally realise. It will be the task of the Conference of the Institute in the next few days to apply itself to the questions concerning this part of the world. It is fortunate that at the session are represented all the elements which have to work together for a common end. It is particularly gratifying that post-war Japan should make her re-entry on the world stage at the Lucknow meeting.

Danger Ahead

The Korean war is far from over. It is reported that several North Korean units are intact and are fighting a desperate rear-guard action. Men are still being killed on both sides. Though U.N. troops have stopped at the 38th Parallel, South Korean forces have advanced north and are reported to be meeting resistance. They are getting cover from U.N. air force but it is likely that they will overstretch their supply lines and may get into difficulties which would necessitate U.N. troops going to their rescue. By that time North Koreans may have rallied round and that will mean further prolongation of hostilities. This is the result of stopping short when a decisive victory could have been scored. More serious than this is the report that a 100-mile long truck convoy had been sighted moving up from Communist Manchuria towards North Korea with artillery pieces to aid the Korean Reds. The Chinese Communist Premier Chou En-lai has declared that his country could not stand idly by "should terrorists wantonly invade the territory of its neighbour". This means that Soviet Russia is moving another of her pawns to the frontline to prolong the fighting in Korea and keep U.N. forces pinned down in this theatre. Any clash with the Chinese Communists troops would be serious to world peace and may spread to a wider area. One may ask where is all this to end? But one thing is certain United Nations have made it known that they will no longer yield to force or ignore aggression. This hard streak which U.N. is developing ought to warn off any future aggressors. The U.N. must organise its own police force as soon as possible as a guarantee for world peace. In it lies not only the salvation of the world but also of the United Nations.

Cheap Lunch-Baskets

It will be learnt with regret that the cheap lunch scheme sponsored by Mrs. Lilavati Munshi has been given up because it is found to cost more than the promised six annas and because glazed paper is not available. The objection about the paper is far-fetched. After all, paper can only be useful as a container. To give up a large scheme because paper is not available at cheap rates reveals a defeatist mentality. And in India where traditionally we have been accustomed to packing our food in leaves—banana and badam leaves — the excuse appears particularly unconvincing. In the circumstances, we are afraid that we cannot rejoice over the Bombay Government's decision to to allot 3,000 sq. feet on the Oval for a cafetaria where cheap non-cereal lunch is served. This area, if it is to be occupied, can be more usefully employed than by a cafetaria which can at best serve only a limited number of persons in a fixed locality. Office-goers have managed pretty well all these years without this facility and they are not likely to switch to the new system instantly. In the context of our present food problems, it would be more sensible for the Government to find out where a cafetaria would serve the public interest best and set about meeting the need than to extend its support to grandiose schemes which are of doubtful value.

All this is being presumably contemplated for the sake of saving cereals by popularising non-cereal food stuffs. However, realisation of the object, laudable as it seems, will have to be estimated in terms of actual saving of food stuffs whatever be their variety. It will be futile to expect any saving if the people who will take lunch in packets or in the cafeteria, do not forego proportionate rations. Experience has shown that those who can afford to spend a few small coins have the habit of eating out of hours in addition to regular meals. The lunch packets or cafeteria will probably encourage such a fashionable habit and will lead to waste of food stuffs which can be utilised with a greater advantage in deficit areas. People in towns will for a day in spite of the appeals addressed to them, but they will be tempted to rush to the cafeteria to taste non-cereal dishes in addition to regular meals. A sensible plan is needed to effect actual saving of food by encouraging the existing resources; and this should have been the objective of the women's organisation.

Tete-a-Tete

WITHOUT COMMENT

LUCKNOW, October 3: Lawyers, money-lenders and politicians, who made speeches on the least provocation were useless to society and nothing would be lost if these tribes disappeared, stated Pandit Nehru at a public meeting here.

—U. P. I.

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Addressing the Pacific Relations Conference, the Prime Minister pointed out how the military mind wanted to go much further "not realising the essential lesson of history that if you go too far, you topple over and get entangled in other problems."

Why blame the military mind alone?

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The Prime Minister is reported to have declared at Lucknow that "communalism and communal organisations whether they be Hindu Mahasabha, R.S.S, Sikh Sabha or any others should be crushed for the benefit of the country."

The proposed Mahasabha "Kashmir Day" should now be turned into "Anti-Nehru Day" when the country should be called upon to take firm action against Nehru in the interests of its own destruction.

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Mr. S. K. Patil's international lead: India must choose between the Anglo-American and the Soviet blocs. A vote for the Soviet bloc would mean a vote for a totalitarian Government in this country. Throwing in its lot with the Anglo-American bloc would imply a democratic administration in this country.

Think again, brother.

By the way, isn't Mr. Patil a prominent and responsible member of the Congress High Command?

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Another report actually quotes Mr. Patil as saying: "The time has come for India to make her choice between democracy and totalitarianism; there is no third or fouth way; those who say so are humbugs."

This is such a vigorous compliment to both Pandit Nehru and Shri Purshottamdas Tandon that Mr. Patil had better assure them that he didn't mean what he said in the context of his advocacy.

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Presiding at Gandhi Jayanti celebrations in Colombo, Dr. G. P. Malasekera, President World Fellowship of Buddhists, said Mahatma Gandhi was a citizen of the world and friend of all mankind.

If Dr. Malasekera spoke with the authority of a leader of Buddhism, Dr. Ambedkar might be forced to reconsider his recent call to Indians.

EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

By Dr. Horace Poleman.

Cultural Affairs Officer, American Embassy, New Delhi.

TWO ACTS of the Congress of the United States established the educational exchange of persons programmes, on a reciprocal basis, with other countries of the world as an established peacetime policy. The provisions of these acts are now operating for exchange of persons between India and the United States.

Enquiries may be addressed to the American Embassy, the American Consulates General, the U.S. Educational Foundation in India, New Delhi (on Fulbright awards), and to the Ministry of Education of the Government of India.

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

The purpose and objectives of this programme are "to enable the Government of the United States to promote a better understanding between the people of the United States and the people of other countries." Among the means to be used in achieveing these objectives is the international interchange of persons, knowledge and skills.

International exchange of persons projects constitute an integral and essential technique in attaining the general objectives of this educational exchange programme. Persons participating in such projects carry to other countries, and bring back to their own, information, knowledge and attitudes which, through personal experience and personal influence, promote a better understanding of the United States abroad and increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States abroad and increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and the people of other countries. These programmes play a leading and direct personalized role in contributing to the exchange of technical services, of knowledge and skills, and of information regarding developments in education, the arts, and sciences. They stimulate and lead to broad and comprehensive educational, scientific and cultural projects involving other and various media.

The role of the Federal Government of the United States and the American missions abroad is primarily facilitative and is supplementary to the programme of other agencies, institutions, and organizations—official, semi-official and private, both domestic and foreign. The policy of the U. S. Government is to co-operate fully with foreign governments and duly constituted national agencies abroad in the implementation of the programme.

LEADER EXCHANGE

The provisions of Public Law 402 enable leaders of public opinion, both American and foreign, in such fields as public welfare, labour, the social sciences, the arts, journalism and radio, to visit each others' countries for 90-day periods. Leaders from foreign countries conduct observations and surveys, exchange information, and renew contacts with colleagues and private and governmental organizations and agencies in the United States.

The leader from the United States serves abroad as consultant, adviser and lecturer in fields of professional specilization and is generally recruited from non-governmental circles.

Foreign leaders visiting America may be outstanding men holding high official positions in their own government or communities, or they may be leading citizens in the arts, sciences and professions. They are invited to America (1) by the American Embassy after consultation with their governments and the agencies with which they are associated, (2) by American diplomatic missions selecting them as private citizens, or (3) by appropriate private American educational, scientific and professional organizations or institutions.

TRAINEE EXCHANGE

Under the heading of "trainees" falls another part of the exchange of persons programme under Public Law 402. This is divided into two main categories:

1. Teacher Trainee Programme.
2. U. S. Government In-Service Training Programme.

The operation is for the benefit of foreign nationals. The Teacher Trainee Programme is administered by the U. S. Office of Education. Nomination of candidates for grants is made by the Ministry of Education concerned to the American Embassy, with final selection in the hands of the U. S. Office of Education. Application blanks may be secured from the Ministry of Education by elementary and secondary school teachers. A teacher grantee obtains practical experience in selected school systems in the United States and attends specially-planned professional courses

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

Mr. Patil's Indiscretion

If press reports of his address to the Bombay Rotary Club are correct, Mr. S. K. Patil has committed, a double indiscretion. He advocated for India a policy of non-neutrality between the Anglo-American and the Soviet blocs. India he demanded must make up its mind as between the two. It was a choice between two forms of Government: the totalitarian and the democratic. Any form of communism would not suit India and our choice had naturally to fall on democracy, hence the country had necessarily to join hands with the Anglo-American bloc. So said Mr. Patil. Not much need be said about it except to regret that a responsible Congress leader should have betrayed such ignorance of all the arguments and explanations repeatedly given by the Prime Minister in defence of the policy of not joining any bloc and equally unfortunate ignorance even of the Presidential address of Shri Purshottamdas Tandon himself. Mr. Patil is a member of the Congress Working Committee and, therefore, one is entitled to wonder how far it is desirable or right for a responsible man like him to advocate so categorically a course of action which is directly opposed to the one pursued by the Congress Government with the full approval of the Indian National Congress and the Working Committee. If it was a choice between totalitarianism and democracy there could be no question of what should be accepted. But what is Western democracy? What is the place of "colonial peoples" in western democracy, what is the place of the African races in Western democracy? Surely Mr. Patil knows. And yet it was the democracy of the West which he was talking about when advocating participation in the Anglo-American bloc. Which brings us to his second indiscretion. According to one press report he said this: "the time has come for India to make her choice between democracy and totalitarianism, there is no third or fourth way; those who say so are humbugs". Does Mr. Patil realise how that word "humbug" can be interpreted and to whom it can be interpreted to apply?

Warning To Congressmen

Considering the possibilities and the portents it was a very welcome declaration, which the Prime Minister, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru made at a public meeting when he said: "communalism and communal organisations whether they be Hindu Mahasabha, RSS, Sikh Sabha or any others should be crushed for the benefit of the country". The evils of communalism are well-known. It has been repeatedly condemned by thoughtful and genuine leaders, who have long worked and suffered to win freedom and greatness for India. The latest powerful indictment of Communalism has come from Shri Purshottamdas Tandon in his Presidential address. It is an evil that robbed India and its people of their greatest and most precious asset, the life of Mahatma Gandhi. It now threatens India's progress and prosperity and its very future. The general elections are drawing near and communalism will stop at nothing in its wildly irresponsible rush to incite the worst passions of the people into blind fanaticism, regardless of eventual consequences to them, in order to catch votes. This is a grave danger and actual signs of it are already there. The Prime Minister's statement is a warning both to Governmental authorities and to Congressmen. It is a warning and a call addressed especially to Congressmen. It is their sacred duty to see that evils do not secure the upper hand and that the masses are not misled into disastrous paths. And it is a warning and a call to them to be careful themselves. They have to see that they do not, in order to win the elections the more easily, fall victims to the temptation of appeasing or playing up to Communalism. At the polls they will have to defy Communalism in vindication of cherished principles rather than to betray those principles in search of more votes.

The Lime-Light

To be in the lime-light is not altogether an unmixed blessing. Such members of the Fourth Estate as devote themselves to the "exposure" of unsavoury features of public life take a sardonic pleasure in pointing the finger of scorn at distinguished men. In a way, this is welcome if only forces the leaders to set an example (even if by force) to men placed in the humbler stations of life. Ever since the Prohibition Act, the army and the princes have come in for a great deal of attention and the Hight Court held that the "discriminations" in their favour were not justified. To this, the army found a short-cut in the special health permit; this, of course, is stretching the letter of the Act to a limit which is not expedient. Added to this was the reported statement of the Commander-in-Chief that the few "privileges" which the army still enjoyed, should not be taken away from them. The public should not blamed if they drew the inferences that the army was in duty bound to get special privileges which is against the accepted principle that the military should be subordinated to the civil power); and that the army could not get on without drinks We are glad to note, however, that steps are being taken to see that these misapprehensions are effectively dealt with. The princes seem to have been placed in a special category for their drinking privileges were entangled with the concessions that went with their privy purses, though one cannot see the connection between the two. The large majority of princes, who are as sober as ordinary citizens, will certainly take objection to the implication of this astounding concession, and they should be glad in their own interest that this "privilege" has been knocked down by the Prohibition Judgement. The Minister for Prohibition has also made the welcome declaration that the Princes too will have to appear before the Medical Board like any other ordinary citizen before they get their permits. The extension of this principle to the military, too should silence all critics.

Allama Mashriqui

The news that Allama (Inayutullah Khan) Mashriqui has been arrested brings that colourful personality again in the news. It would appear that on this occasion the provocation for the arrest was the refusal of Mr. Khan to let the Police search his house for copies of a proscribed pamphlet. The Allama's has been an eventful life, and the brief career of the organisation which he founded, the Khaksars, was conspicuous for the clashes it had with authority. The Unionist Ministry of pre-partition Punjab had once to eject the rebels out of a mosque by the use of tear gas which succeeded in doing what the Khaksar leader wanted to, namely placing the Ministry in an embarassing position and getting some publicity for the organisation. Of course, the Khaksars received the fullest publicity, ironically enough, when a youth claiming to be a Khaksar tried to assassinate the Quaid-e-Azam. The organisatioin never recovered from that shock and the Allama slided into the background, and even a spectacularly announced fast did not bring him the fame he sought. The Allama tried, in the meantime, his hand at "peace efforts", with sundry appeals to the League and the Congress to close their ranks. Nothing came out of it, and the emergence of Pakistan found him without supporters, for he was at the wrong camp at the opportune moment. Possibly, the defiance of the police is a bid for political martyrdom, but how far the Allama will succeed in his purpose remains to be seen.

OUR READERS' VIEWS

Housing Shortage

With growing antipathy between houseowners and tenants, it is as well that co-operative and tenant-ownership houses should increase. The only flaw in the ointment is the lack of genuine co-operative spirit among tenant-owners, who mostly buy ready-made flats or tenements from Contractors without any voice in the soundness of construction or any choice in selecting the co-tenant-owners.

If Government can pass legislation to regulate the inter relations and responsibilities of the tenant-owners to ensure smooth and fair working, this activity may increase on healthy lines.

Another way to give fillip to housing activity is to remove the control from tenements carrying rents over Rs. 80/- per month so that the higher middle class who have resources may be obliged to build and own flats for their own requirements.

It is a recognized economic maxim that you cannot have two sets of prices for the same article in the same locality and the difference in rents of old buildings and new buildings must disappear in due course. It is almost suicidal to allow old buildings to deteriorate prematurely through neglect of repairs for want of an economic nett return to the owner.

With the present outlook of Government and tenants alike it is not likely that private enterprize will be induced to build on the same scale as before, and unless their place is taken over by tenant-owners, the supply of tenements can scarcely increase by mere propaganda.

—V. M. SARAIYA.

Socialists And The Strike

This morning I was at Sewri to witness the much tom-tomed "defying of the ban" by the Socialist Party's people. The time for this was announced at 6-30 a.m. But it was only at 6-50 that one person came with a red piece of cloth to surrender himself to the Police. This was the repetition of the miserable failure of the "defiance" as it happened at Kamathipura, Kurla, etc.

It may be the idea of the Party that because of the confusion which they may be able to create in the locality, the attendance in the Mills may be reduced. But fortunately it has increased.

The workers are getting disgusted with the compulsory prolongation of the strike. Now they are being told to wait for a few days more so that the Award may be "favourable".

Requests have been made to the Court to accelerate the announcement of the judgment. The workers are eagerly awaiting it. Whatever may be the result, the workers want a cause to return. They will no more listen to the Socialist Party and I do not think that the Party also will dare tell them to continue the strike. It is fallen and disgraced, both from the Trade Union and national standard.

It could happen only in India that without taking the ballot and ascertaining the wishes of the workers, a strike is forced on the workers. This too not by a Trade Union organisation, but by a group of political opportunists.

Dictators like Hitler and Mussolini had to commit suicide. Their counterparts in India will also vanish. It is only to be seen how much harm they are allowed to do to the workers and the nation, before they are dislodged.

The Socialist Party now claims that Bonus was not the main issue. They wanted to secure recognition for their Union, by displacing the Rashtriya Mill Mazdoor Sangh, because the Sangh has only 15 per cent. membership. But the Sabha had never more than 4,500 members. Nothing can stop the Sabha from having larger membership than the Sangh and achieve the status of the representative union. But the fact is that the Sabha has no support of the workers. Therefore, it is adopting Hitlerian tactics.

The workers are now determined to return to work. They are organising groups so that goondas may not kill them. This organisation is increasing every day. And therefore, the attendance at the Mills is on the increase.

—ABID ALI JAFFERBHAI
President, Indian National Trade Union Congress Bombay Branch.

Import Licences

A few months ago the Government of India had appointed an Import Enquiry Committee under the chairmanship of the well-known businessman and nationalist Mr. Gaganvihari Mehta. The Committee visited important towns like Bombay, Calcutta and other places and received memoranda from various public bodies and important individuals. Though the report of the above Committee is not yet submitted, it is hoped that it will go a long way in removing the various anomalies and red-tapes that are at present hampering the issue of import licences to genuine business concerns.

Speaking from personal knowledge as a business-man, the procedure adopted by the Import Control Office is so very cumbrous that it will unnerve many a stout businessman. Up till a few months back, import licences were granted from Delhi without obtaining a certificate from the Director of Industries. To obtain such a certificate, various forms are to be filled in and all sorts of information is called for which takes usually considerable time involving the parties in engaging a few statisticians. Even after making the necessary application to the Director of Industries, the certificate is not issued, as of right, but an inspector is sent to verify the various statements made in the application which again takes a lot of time. It therefore, usually takes a couple of months to obtain the certificate which is to be attached now with all applications of import licence. All these delaying procedures does good to nobody and the businessman is entirely at the mercy of the official red-tap and the ignorant and inefficient clerical staff.

Mr. Gaganvihari Mehta will be doing a distinct service to the businessmen in particular and commercial India in general by simplifying his procedure by which an applicant for an import licence should get the same within a fortnight after his application. He should ensure that the present cumbrous procedure is substituted by a simple one intelligible to all and the same is publicised in all important vernacular languages so that it mght be understood by all business community

—M. K. BHIMANI.

Flight Over Chinese Land By Mistake

U. S. REPLY TO REDS' CHARGE: BOMBING DENIED

LAKE SUCCESS, Oct. 4 (PTI--Reuter).

THE United States has informed the United Nations that two American fighter bombers flew over Chinese territory "by mistake" and fired on an airstrip south-west of Antung on August 27.

The statement was made in answer to Chinese Communist charges of alleged American bombing of Chinese territory.

Chinese Communists alleged that on August 27 and 28 several American "military aeropianes" invaded Chinese territory srafing buildings and railway stations on the Yalu River which borders North Korea, and killing several people.

Mr. Warren Austin (United States) wrote to United Nations Secretary General, Trygve Lie, that an investigation of Chinese charges disclosed nothing to corroborate their complaints.

DETAILED INVESTIGATION

Mr. Austin wrote: Detailed investigation undertaken at the request of the Commanding-General of the United Nations Command of the incidents alleged in these communications. has now disclosed that in the late afternoon of August 27, 1950, two F-51 fighter bombers supplied by the United States to the United Nations Command, by mistake flew over territory of China and fired on an airstrip west-south-west of Antung.

"The mission involved was to destroy six barges near the north bank of the Chongchon River in North Korea.

"The weather was not good, contrary to forecasts, and the flight had to fly at 14,000 feet and came out of the clouds at a place the pilots thought was south of their target.

"Instead, they were north of it and mistook the Yalu River for the Chongchon river

"Being fired upon they turned, circled to their left and passed over the airstrip involved."

14 Bullet Wounds

BANARAS, Oct. 4 (PTI): Dacoits broke into a farm house in village Gaura near here last night, left an agriculturist punctured with bullet holes and made away with booty.

In spite of the fourteen bullet wounds and blisters from several lathi blows the agriculturist resisted to the last until he fell down senseless

Thought For The Day

The spirit of liberty is not, as multitudes imagine, a jealousy of our own particular rights but a respect for the rights of others, and an unwillingness that anyone, whether high or low should be wronged or trampled underfoot

—WILLIAM E. CHANNING.

NO COALITION IN BRITAIN

Attlee's Promise To Workers

MARGATE, Oct. 4. (PTI-Reuter)

PRIME Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, told the annual conference of the British Labour Party here yesterday that the Labour Party would govern according to Socialist principles.

Mr. Attlee, who was given one of the most enthusiastic receptions of his career, added that there could be no question of a coalition nor of labour watering its policy to try to be non-controversial.

Earlier in the elections to the National Executive Committee cabinet, leftwing leader, Aneurin Bevan was given the largest vote—breaking his own previous record—and the leftwing increased its numerical strength on the Executive

Colonial Secretary, Mr James Griffiths, announced that the Executive—which includes half a dozen Cabinet Ministers—would not oppose a resolution demanding that the profits of private enterprise be cut.

"I appreciate the feelings of this conference about increases in profits", Mr. Griffiths said. "We know that finally the only real, fully effective way to control the surpluses that are made is by public ownership," he added

The Government had warned employers if there was any large scale breakdown in the present voluntary restraint of dividends, it would consider itself free to introduce new legislation to cut dividends.

"That takes on a new significance in view of the new expenditure on defence" Mr. Griffiths said.

"When we asked workers to redouble their efforts, it would be repugnant to see indulgence in ostentatious display of wealth," he said.

He added that ownership of wealth in Britain had not yet been equally distributed and it was Labour's policy to see it progressively evened up.

He said the leadership recognised there was now need for adjustment in wages, particularly for the lower paid workers. The problem was to do that without causing inflation. Party leaders recognised the position and would give the conference resolution fullest consideration.

The Conference passed without a dissentient voice the resolution which the Executive had accepted.

This resolution took note of "the country's improved position" and "the high profits received by employers" and called on the Government for energetic action to improve workers' wages by:

1. Stemming the upward trend of profits and bringing about a reduction.

2. Controlling and reducing profits.

The resolution was an agreed composite based on nearly 50 resolutions on wages, prices and profits submitted by affiliated branches and organisations

Two Australian Soldiers Killed In Taegu

TAEGU, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): An Australian officer and a soldier were killed and another soldier was wounded yesterday in a bren-gun carrier blown up by a land-mine on the bank of the Naktong River near the ferry where the British were heavily shelled 11 days ago.

These were the first fatal casualties suffered by the Australian battalion.

Stop Press

PAK TROOPS PURSUE AFGHANS

KARACHI, Oct. 4. (PTI): Pakistani troops, supported by air force and home guard units are pursuing a body of armed Afghans towards the Afghanistan border in Baluchistan, according to a Defence Ministry communique issued here tonight.

INDIAN TEAM BEATS BELGIUM

TEL AVIV, Oct. 4. (PTI): The Indian water polo team beat Belgium by nine goals to zero after leading 30 at halftime.

The Indians played a fast game, and their teamwork was superior. Their scores were Robert Dean (five), Isaac Mansour (three) and I Sopher (one).

BRITISH LABOUR PARTY "UNITED"

MARGATE (Kent), Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): Britain's Health Minister Aneurin Bevan told the Labour Party annual conference here today, "We shall face the British nation as a united party when the general election comes—and I say that advisedly." Winding up a debate on the party's new policy document "Labour and the New Society", he said, "The important thing is not differences of opinion in the Council Chamber but unity on the battlefield. That unity exists today more strongly than ever."

INDIA'S RESOLUTION

LAKE SUCCESS, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): India today proposed a resolution in the United Nations Political Committee to appoint a sub-committee of seven members to consider and report on resolutions on Korean peace.

The resolution, put forward by the Indian delegate, Mr. B. N. Rau, proposed that the Sub-Committee should report to the Political Committee by October 6.

WOOL STUDY GROUP MEETS

Sub-Committee To Examine World Production

LONDON, Oct 4 (PTI-Reuter): The International Wool Study Group meeting in secret here is understood to have set up a sub-committee to examine world wool production, consumption and price statistics.

The sub-committee will report to a full session of the group, which is being attended by over 20 countries, in the next few days. The study group is expected to set up another sub-committee to examine the question of stabilising wool prices to the advantage of both the producers and the consumers, quarters close to the conference said.

Colombian Naval Unit For U. N. Forces

FLUSHING MEADOW, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): The United Nations has formally accepted the 1,430-ton armed frigate "Almirante Padilla" from the South American Republic of Colombia as her contribution to the forces in Korea.

The "Almirante Padilla", one of Colombia's newest naval units, carried 75 millimetre and anti-aircraft guns as well as anti-submarine weapons.

The Colombian Foreign Minister announced that she had been sent to Korea two weeks ago. She is named after the Colombian hero, Jose Padilla, who fought the Spaniards under Simon Bolivar in the 19th century wars of liberation.

Denmark To Strengthen Her Defences

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): Prime Minister, Hans Hedtoft, said here yesterday that Denmark would reconstruct her defences as early as possible till they were sufficient to fulfil her obligations to the United Nations and the Atlantic Pact.

He was opening the first session of Parliament after last month's general elections. Denmark has earmarked 300 million francs for defence.

Gujerat Samachar

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 4 (PTI): Mr. Devadas Gandhi, Managing Editor of the Hindustan Times of Delhi, performed the opening ceremony this evening of the new building and the new rotary machine of the "Gujerat Samachar" a Gujerati daily.

Mr. Gandhi said that there were differences of opinion all over the world regarding freedom of the press. Some believed that the freedom should be unrestricted. Where the rulers and the ruled were progressive, freedom of the press could be enjoyed without any peril. There were others, however, who favoured some restriction for the protection of freedom of the press.

"I for one believe", he added, "that the newspapers' organizations themselves should impose and enforce restrictions on freedom of the press."

INVASION OF AMBON ISLAND

Indonesia Keeps Up Silence

DJAKARTA, Oct. 4, (PTI-Reuter): The Indonesian Defence Ministry today kept up silence on persistent reports that Indonesian troops had landed on Ambon Island, centre of the rebel South Moluccas Republic, and that heavy fighting was in progress.

A Defence Ministry spokesman refused requests by foreign correspondents to confirm or deny that a military offensive had been launched against Ambon, but added the Ministry would make a statement "as soon as we are ready".

Correspondents have no means of reaching the Ambon area. Radio Ambon late yesterday again broadcast that Indonesian forces had landed at Tulchu, a small village on the north coast of Ambon Island six days before. They had advanced to Suli about five kilometre away where they had met resistance from the Ambonese, the report said.

Gandhi Jayanti In Tokyo

TOKYO, Oct. 4: The 82nd birthday anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi was celebrated here on Monday by the Gandhi Peace Association. A gathering of about 100 people was addressed by Mr. K. K. Chettur, Head of the Indian Liaison Mission, who led prayers, read extracts from Gita and gave a discourse on Gandhiji's teachings.

Indian documentary films on Gandhiji's life were screened. Mrs. Tomiko Kora and Chief Priest of Buddhist Honganji temple Nakayama, both of whom were delegates to the recent World Pacifists' Conference in India, spoke on the message of Mahatma Gandhi.

JOIN WAR AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS

Pakvasa's Plea To Buy Remedial Seals

NAGPUR, Oct. 4, (PTI): Mr. Mangaldas Pakvasa, Governor of Madnya Pradesh, called upon the people yesterday to join the battle against the scourge of tuberculosis by purchasing T. B. Seals.

In an appeal issued here yesterday, Mr. Mangaldas Pakvasa said: "The health of the citizens is the real wealth of the nation. The terrible toll in human lives which T. B. exacts every year in this country is appalling. There are about five lakh deaths every year in India due to T. B. and about 25 lakhs of people are in the grip of tuberculosis in our country. Calculating on this basis, 1,400 men die of T B. every day on an average.

In this way the suffering of our brothers and sisters on account of this four disease is terrible and the loss to the nation is incalculable.

The Governor added: "To obtain an adequate standard of anti-T. B. control a capital expenditure of Rs. 450 crores with a recurring expenditure of Rs. 60 crores is necessary. Today the average per capita expenditure on medical relief is annas eight out of which only three-fourth of a pice is spent on the fight against tuberculosis.

"The magnitude of the task before us is appalling, and an earnest appeal is made to all persons whatever their income to contribute to the maximum of their relative capacities by purchasing these T. B. seals, and thus assist in the fight against this dreadful disease".

CALCUTTA, Oct. 4, (PTI): Mr. C. C. Biswas and Dr. A. M. Malik, Ministers for Minority Affairs in India and Pakistan respectively, will visit the Khulna District in East Bengal on a four-day joint tour from October 11 to October 14.

PICKETING CLOTH SHOPS

W. Bengal Socialists' Decision

CALCUTTA, Oct. 4, (PTI): Picketing of large cloth shops in West Bengal during the month of October to check profiteering and blackmarketing was decided at a meeting of the Provincial Executive Committee of the Socialist Party.

The Committee expressed the opinion that the State Government had failed to check the rising cost of living to put a stop to anti-social activities.

It also decided to start a statewide anti-zamindary campaign and urged the Government to grant legal-tenure to the East Bengal refugees who had already occupied fallow lands in different parts of West Bengal.

Hindi Will Be National Language In 10 Years

AHMEDABAD, October 4 (PTI): Mr. Devdas Gandhi, Managing Editor of the Hindustan Times, Delhi, addressing students of the S L D Arts College in Gujarati here today said "I have not forgotten Gujarati though living in Delhi and speaking Hindi in my family and outside. Hindi will be the national language of India within 10 years when the use of the English language will be restricted much, though not abolished altogether on account of its international importance".

Referring to the daily newspapers of Ahmedabad, Mr. Gandhi said that their language had improved much during the last 20 years.

Referring to his impression of foreign travels, he said that since the attainment of freedom, India was held in high esteem in foreign countries and the speeches of the Prime Minister of India were read with au great interest as the speeches of the President of America on account of their high moral tone.

CLOSE INDIAN EMBASSY IN LISBON

Goan Leader's Appeal To Government

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

AN appeal to the Government of India to close their embassy in Lisbon immediately and "save unnecessary expenses as the primary purpose for which diplomatic relations were established with Portugal, namely, to open negotiations for the liberation of Goa has been lost" was made by Shri Waman Desai, General Secretary of the United Front of Goans, in statement to the United Press of India today.

Shri Desai, who quoted "high diplomatic authority with first-hand knowledge of the situation in Portugal "for his source of information, said that Dr. Salazar Government, which showed some inclination last year to open diplomatic talks with the Government of India in respect of their possessions in India, were now totally opposed to any such talks. "Obviously the Portuguese Government feel that the best way to preserve their colonial interest in India is to show their white teeth and dismiss all talks of negotiations by totalitarian methods." he said.

UNITY PLEA

The General-Secretary stated that the objectives of the Goans must be achieved by their own strength instead of expecting any consideration from the fascist Portuguese Government, and appealed to all Goans, both inside Gao and outside, to present a united front against the Portuguese Government and launch the final struggle in a relentless way to compel foreign Government to quit India for good.

He also expressed a hope that the Government of India, in pursuance of the resolution of the Nasik Congress, would extend all help and co-operation to the Goans to liberate their territory from the foreign yoke and make it possible for them to join their motherland.

U.S. ENVOY'S PROTEST NOTE TO INDONESIA

Objection To Chinese Diplomat's Speech

DJAKARTA, October 4 (PTI): The United States Ambassador Mr. M. Merle Cochran, today protested to the Indonesian Government against a speech made here by the "Peking regime representative" on October 1—the first anniversary of the Communist Chinese Peoples' Republic.

Authoritative sources here told PTI correspondent that Mr. Cochran protested against an assertion in the speech that America had imperialistic aims in Asia.

Mr. Cochran avoided mentioning the name of the speaker, but he has believed to have meant a speech made by the Chinese Communist Ambassador here, Wang Jen Shu, four days ago. The Chinese Ambassador here said "the United States is an imperialistic aggressor in Asia."

Mr. Cochran said in his protest, it was unbecoming from someone who pretends to be a representative of a nation to use such undiplomatic phraseology.'

The Indonesian Government was expected to reply to the protest shortly.

LATEST COMMERCIAL NEWS

NEW YORK COTTON DECEMBER.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.

Previous closing	40.25
Today's opening	40.20
Difference	—.05
Today's closing	40.40
Difference	+.15

ORDER ON DURBAN CITY COUNCIL

Sequel To Dismissal Of Indians

PIETERMARITZBURG, Natal, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): The Durban City Council was ordered by a judge here to show cause why it should not be restrained from dismissing 324 Indians.

The Indians—labourers and others working for the City Council—were absent from work on "protest day" on June 26, when non-European workers throughout the Union staged a protest against the Government's laws.

The Council must give its answer to the judge on October 11.

'ANIMAL SACRIFICES MUST END'

Plea At City Conference

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

A plea for the protection of animals and birds against slaughter and cruelty was made this evening at the All-India Humanitarian Conference, presided over by Dewan Bahadur K M. Jhaveri.

The President stated in the course of his speech that all animal sacrifices offered in the name of religion should be terminated, and that propoganda for this purpose should be done all over the country. Animals and birds should also be protected against cruelty inflicted upon them in the name of sport, science and religion.

Mr. Surji Vallabhdas said that humanitarianism had existed in India from ancient times. In the Vedas, punishment had been prescribed for those who killed animals. Gandhiji was a great upholder of animal protection and he had preached kindness to dumb-creatures.

The speaker made a plea for the observance of vegetarian diet saying that a meat diet was unnatural.

A protest against the export of monkeys to foreign lands was also on the grounds that the animals were submitted to various cruelties in vivisection and medical research.

DELEGATION TO UNDERTAKE STUDY TOUR

The Animal Welfare Delegation to India organised by the India Society for the Protection of Animals, London, is already in the country.

The Delegation will make close personal contact with the Indian Animal welfare movement and study the activities of various other institutions having as their objects, the protection of animals.

The delegation will focus its attention upon the deplorable plight of defenceless animals in the country and stress the importance of human education in schools. It will also consider the measures necessary for the eradication of various forms of cruelty to animals, still prevalent in the country and will try to help the establishment of certain institutions of practical value to suffering animals.

Industrial Gases Standards

NEW DELHI, Oct. 4.

The Heavy Chemicals (Inorganic) Sectional Committee of the Indian Standards Institution has brought out three draft Indian standards for industrial gases, namely for dissolved acetylene gas, compressed oxygen gas and carbon dioxide.

Oxy-acetylene gas welding is being extensively used in India, particularly since the outbreak of the World War II. It is estimated that production of acetylene gas for this purpose is of the order of two million cubic feet. The draft standards for these two gases, now issued by the Institution, should greatly help in improving the quality of gases required for producing best results in the modern technique of gas welding.

The three drafts detail the requirements in regard to the composition of the gases, suitability of cylinders, and specify methods for sampling, packing and marking. In the draft for acetylene, specification of the solvent is also included.

The three drafts have been issued in circulation for eliciting review and comments from interested parties in India and abroad. Comments should reach the Director, Indian Standards Institution, 19, University Road, Delhi 8, by Dec. 20, 1950.

Tenants' Leader Released

JULLUNDUR, Oct. 4 (PTI): Giani Ishar Singh, President, Refugee Tenants Committee, Hoshiarpur, was released yesterday from Jullundur District Jail before the termination of the period of his imprisonment.

Giani Ishar Singh and 67 others were convicted to various terms of imprisonment or detained for taking part in refugee tenants satyagraha against ejectment from lands.

The preparatory commission of the second World Peace Congress announced in Prague yesterday that it would go ahead with its plan to hold the meeting in Sheffield, England, in November, in spite of Britain's refusal to admit the foreign organisations.

Plans For Korea

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white. You cannot turn a roan stallion into a mottled mare."

THE COMMISSION

Mr. Kenneth Younger, of Britain, said the sponsors of the joint Korea resolution considered that the proposed United Nations commission should consist of possibly five members and preferably not more than seven.

He suggested six names: Australia, Chile, the Netherlands, Pakistan, the Philippines and Turkey.

He said the Commission should be composed of men of the highest calibre, and with the greatest possible authority.

Permanent members of the Security Council should not be included, he said.

Mr. Rau's Plea

Here are extracts from Mr. B. N. Rau's speech in the U.N. Political Committee yesterday (part of which has already been published):—

Mr. Dau said: "We should then call upon the North Koreans to cease hostilities immediately so as to enable the United Nations to initiate forthwith the steps that would lead to an early consummation of those purposes. Should the North Koreans fail to respond we could review the situation and rechart our course."

Dealing with Soviet resolution, the Indian delegate pointed out that there could hardly be any objection to the first para of the operative part which recommended to belligerents that they immediately cease hostilities.

As for the second recommendation that the Government of the United States and other countries should immediately withdraw their troops from Korea, Mr. Rau declared: "This is open to obvious objection that it would leave the South Koreans against the mercy of North Koreans."

Regarding the third recommendation of the Soviet Union namely after the withdrawal of foreign troops, all Korean elections to the National Assembly, Mr. Rau said apart from precise stage at which the troops are to be withdrawn, there could be "hardly any objection" to this recommendation.

JAPAN WILLING TO GRANT BASES TO U. N.

Delegates' Revelation At Lucknow Conference

LUCKNOW, Oct. 4. (PTI): Members of the Japanese delegation to the Conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations are today understood to have stated during the preliminary round table discussions that Japan hoped for an early peace treaty. While Japan might be willing to grant bases to the United Nations, they indicated, she was not in favour of giving bases to any individual power.

They are also reported to have stated that Japan accepted the occupation and democratisation and drew attention to the "profound" democratic changes that Japan had undergone since the war. They also said that Japan could not live without the closest possible economic relationship with China.

Communism in Japan also came under discussion. The Communist Party is banned in Japan, but observers stated that the party which had secured two million out of 40 million votes in the last general election, was believed to have a secret membership of about 2,00,000...

THREE GROUPS

The Institute of Pacific Relations Conference today formed three round table groups for discussion of the problems of the Far East.

Group "A" which will concentrate on the study of the South Asia region consisting of India, Pakistan and Burma will have as its Chairman the Canadian delegate, Mr. F. H. Soward, professor of history, University of British Columbia.

Group "B" will concentrate on the study of South-East Asia region consisting of Indonesia, Thailand, Malaya, Indo-China and Philippines and will have as its Chairman the Indian delegate, Mr. A. D. Gorwala, Chairman, Commodity Prices Board, Bombay.

Group "C" will study the problems of East Asia consisting of China, Korea and Japan and will have as its Chairman the leader of the Pakistan delegation, Prof. Halem, Vice-Chancellor of the Karachi University

STEAM LOCOMOTIVES CONVERTED

Pak Conserves Coal

(From Our Correspondent)

KARACHI, Oct. 4: With a view to become independent on coal supplies from India about 500 steam locomotives of the North Western and East Bengal Railways have already been converted into Diesel oil locomotives says a press note.

The Government of Pakistan have further placed orders worth Rs. 35 lakhs for 154 Tank wagons and 10 Diesel Rail cars from Japan and this equipment will help augment the Pakistan Railways early next year.

PAKISTAN-ITALY TRADE AGREEMENT

(From Our Correspondent)

KARACHI Oct. 4: According to fresh Pakistan-Italy Trade Agreement, Pakistan has agreed to export 40,000 tons of raw cotton and another 40,000 tons of raw jute to Italy within a year. The value of these two main commodities will be 6 and 4 million pounds respectively.

Amongst the other items Pakistan has agreed to export to Italy are raw hides and skins valued at Rs.50,000 besides cottonseeds, potassium nitrate, raw wool chrome ore and sports goods etc.

Locust Menace

RAJKOT, Oct. 4 (PTI): A Saurashtra Government Press note issued here today says that dispersed locust swarms have been sighted in six villarges of Halar District, eight villages of Zalawad district and twelve villages of Madhya Saurashtra district.

RADIO STATIONS IN FORMER STATES

Standard To Be Brought In Line With A.I.R.

MADRAS, Oct. 4 (PTI): Mr. N. A. S. Lakshmanan, Director-General of All India Radio, said here today that the standing of broadcasting stations taken over by A.I.R. from the former states would be brought into line with the A.I.R. shortly.

Mr. Lakshmanan, accompanied by Mr. A C. Ramachandani, Deputy Chief Engineer of A.I.R., arrived here today by air from Delhi, on an inspection visit of A.I.R's South Indian stations.

The standard of the stations of Hyderabad, Trivandrum and Mysore, he said, varied and though technically and administratively a great deal of improvement had been effected, they wanted to assess what had been achieved by those stations and to what extent they could speed up whatever remained to be done.

ECONOMY DRIVE

Because of the economy cut effected by A.I.R., Mr. Lakshmanan said, they also wanted to see to what extent they could balance its further rationalisation in terms of men and funds. The idea was to run these stations with the maximum efficiency but with the minimum number of men, he said.

The long distance short-wave discussion programme between A.I.R. and B.B.C., he said, would be resumed some time between October and February.

The question of utilising A.I.R. by various political parties during the fourthcoming general elections was still under the consideration of Government, he added.

Blackmarket In Exchange

(From Our Correspondent)

KARACHI, Oct. 4: Two high officails of the Pakistan Government, an Assistant Secretary in the Commerce Ministry and the Registrar of Trade Marks, have been put for trial before the Additional City Magistrate for having contravened the Foreign Exchange Regulations.

It is alleged, both these officials, drew Pound Sterlings for their families' expenditure in connection with their proposed tour of Syria and Iraq but instead sold away these Sterlings in the local market obviously to make a profit.

Saurashtra Socialists Resign From Party

(From Our Correspondent)

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 4.

It is reliably learnt that Shri Anupchand Shah and several other members of the Saurashtra Socialist Party have resigned from the All India Socialist Party. It is said that unnecessary interference and the disruptive policy of the Bombay Socialist Party caused the resignation.

AHMEDABAD MARKET

(From Our Correspondent)

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 4.

The market shot p from a lower level. Fluctuations: Calico opened at 282-4, highest 281-4; Arvind opened at 775, highest 778; Ambica opened at 306, highest 308-8; New Shorok opened at 535, highest 547; Deferred opened at 1735, lowest 1728, highest 1737; Closing quotations: Calico 284-4, Arvind 777, Ambica 308, Deferred 1736, New Shorok 547, Ashok 370-4, Anil Staruh 286-4, New Commercial 915, Ramkrishna 205, Rohit 103-12, Sarraspur 281, Atul 74-8; Shares in delivery Arvind 25, Ambica 124, Calico 406, Jupitor 6, New Shorok 1631, Marsden 21, Monogram 11, Arun 5, Ashok 32, Shorok 11, Saraspur 32, Deferred 160.

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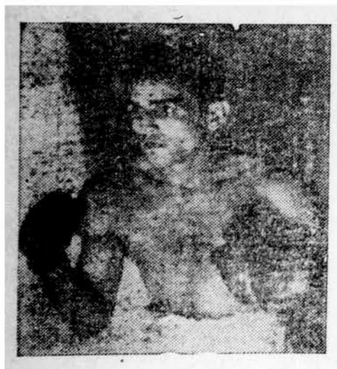
Gene Raymond's Comeback To Limelight



Gene Raymond, who conquered Peter Prince to re-establish his superiority in the ring.

PETER PRINCE NARROWLY OUTPOINTED

Thomas Gains A Close Decision Against Edwin

BOMBAY, Thursday

BOMBAY'S greatest fistic duel, to decide who is the better boxer, resulted in Gene Raymond ex-champion of India narrowly outpointing Peter Prince, Welter champion of India, and Ceylon in a three round bout before an overpacked Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall this evening.

Raymond was rather too quick for Peter Prince and somehow had he concentrated more on head blows, rather than body ones he may have won decidedly. The first round definitely went in favour of Raymond, but the next went to Prince. The final round saw Raymond bleed from the nose, but he resolutely held on. He lashed out when the openings were provided, then seeing Peter tired and holding on to him, he lashed out some lefts and rights that scored.

A Thomas, the flyweight champion of India and Ceylon was given the decision on the narrowest of margins. K. Edwin of Ceylon was rather an unlucky loser. This fight was really a very close one and no one could tell what the outcome would be until the very last second of time was spent.

The first two fights of the evening ended in quick decisions Stoker Mechanic Dum gained a T.K.O. verdict against B. Gomes of the B.E.S.T. The referee stopping the fight in the first round a similar decision came in the next. Mane of N.N.H. fully merited his success with his clever dash. He is a quick and watchful fighter who will go a long way.

Rego of Tata's just managed to beat Fagan of Rangers narrowly.

Quite in contrast to the fights that preceded theirs the four juniors sounded a happy note. "Mighty midget" Sam Jadhaw. Rangers trained proved unassumingly superior to Desmond Morrison of St. Peters High School to win on points.

It was much more interesting to watch the fathers of Johnny Jameson and Aubrey Ballantyne most excited as their sons pitched hectic, but delightful blows at one another. J. Jameson was least surprised when his son won.

"Hairpin" D'Sa never let the result of his fight give anyone doubts of his fiery will to win. He slashed out from the start and kept Kelkar well on the defensive. Somehow, Kelkar also lashed back and did score, but not sufficiently.

A great fight ended rather submissively. After fighting rather evenly for the first two rounds, Kothare had to give in to Stoker Knowlayne merely because his left eye was opened and was bleeding badly in the third round.

Gene Vandergucht who never loses a fight found in J. Rordicks of the BEST a stubborn opponent. Gene was causing a nuisance with having his lacings badly tied by his second. Four times such a thing should have happened was not only bad, but also dangerous as Rodricks received a cut on his eye from one scope Gene won on points.

Quite the best fight of the evening was witnessed when P. Khatau known as the "knock-out King" gained a T.K.O. verdict against Eric D'Silva of the B.B. and C.I. in the third round.

D'Silva was twice floored in the easily round, but recovered brilliantly to give Khatau a rough time. He actually led in the third round, but Khatau mustered up and send home some lightning blows that sent Eric down thrice. The referee was forced to stop the fight.

The following were the results:—

Stoker/Mech. S. Dunn (128 lbs.) Indian Navy beat B. Gomes (128 lbs.) B.E.S.T. on a T.K.O. in the first round.

B. Mane (128 lbs.) N.N.H. beat J. Whitney (129 lbs.) Rangers on a T.K.O. in the first round.

G. Rego (137 lbs.) Tatas beat A. Fagan (140 lbs.) Rangers on points.

Sam Jadhav (48 lbs.) Rangers beat Desmond Morrison (54 lbs.) St. Peters School on points.

Johnny Jameson (68 lbs.) Cathedral beat Aubrey Ballantine (69 lbs.) Cathedral on points.

B. D'Sa (113 lbs.) Petits beat Havildar Kelkar (110 lbs.) Rangers on points.

A. Sequeira (114 lbs.) Dadar B.C. beat Stoker/Mech. Mainguy (115 lbs.) Indian Navy on points.

Stoker/Mech. B. Knowlayne (115 lbs.) Indian Navy beat E. Kothare (111 lbs.) Rangers on a T.K.O. in the third round. The fight being stopped on medical grounds.

Gene Vandergucht (120 lbs.) Rangers beat M. Rodricks (121 lbs.) B.E.S.T. on points.

H. Ferrier (150 lbs.) B.E.S.T. beat B. Lowe (144 lbs.) Rangers on points.

Mike Carvalho (139 lbs.) Dockyard beat Hav. Janardan (138 lbs.) Police on points.

P. Khatau (112 lbs.) Petits beat Eric DaSilva (110 lbs.) B. B. and C. I. Rly. on a T.K.O. in the third round. The referee stopping the fight.

F. Furtado (133 lbs.) Tatas beat Cliff Smith (138 lbs.) Rangers on points.

INTERNATIONAL FLYWEIGHT CONTEST

A. Thomas (110 lbs.) Rangers—India beat K. Edwin (112 lbs.) Y.M.C.A. Ceylon on points.

Gene Raymond (137 lbs.) Rangers beat Peter Prince (141 lbs.) Rangers—India-Ceylon champion on points.

A. THOMAS: Flyweight champion of India who accounted for K. Edwin of Ceylon by a very narrow margin.

Senior Swimming Championships

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Six more events were decided on the second day of the Bombay State Swimming Association Senior Championship.

The following were the results:—

MEN

400 METRES FREE STYLE: R. N. Bhide 1, M. Kapadia 2, K. P. Thakkar 3. Time: 6 minutes 5.2 seconds.

100 METRES BREAST STRIKE: A. S. Bharucha 1, J. J. Naigaumwala 2, K. M. Sampat 3. Time: 1 minute 29.3 seconds on the total.

100 METRES BACK STROKE: K. N. Shah 1, B. D. Joshi 2, V. I. Mehta 3. Time: 1 minute 19.6 seconds.

DIVING: B. T. Dand 1, K. P. Thakkar 2.

4 X 100 FREE STYLE RELAY: P. M. Baths (K. Rattansey, A. D. Joshi, F. Bajaj and K. N. Shah) 1, Golwalla Bath (Thanawala, Jhangiani, Bharucha and Unwala) 2.

WOMEN

100 METRES BREAST STROKE: Winsome Hogan 1, Devayani Chitale 2, Vicki Braganza 3, Time: 1 minute 57.9 seconds.

Dolly Nazir, who was down with fever was unable to participate.

O'Sullivan To Fight Holder Toweel For World Title

LONDON, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter).

British bantam-weight champion Danny O'Sullivan will fight Vic Toweel (South Africa), the holder for the world bantam-weight title in Johannesburg on November 25.

The bout will be in the open air at the Wimbely Stadium where Toweel won the title from Manuel Ortiz last May.

Contracts were signed in London today for the fight, which is subject to the approval of the British Boxing Board of Control.

India Goes Down To U.S. In Maccabian Volleyball

TEL AVIV October 4, (PTI-Reuter): The Indian Team were beaten today by the United States in the first round of the Volleyball Tournament in the third Maccabian Games here.

The Americans won 15-8, 15-3.

Charity Match Ends In Draw

FOOTBALL AT CALCUTTA

CALCUTTA, Oct. 4 (PTI): The Bengalees drew with The Rest, neither side scoring, in a football match played this evening in aid of the Assam Earthquake Relief Fund.

S. Nandy of the East Indian Railway captained the Bengalees, while Apparao of the East Bengal Club led The Rest.

The match started at a slow pace but became faster as it progressed. On the run of the play a draw was the correct index, both teams getting equal chances of attacking.

GOVERNOR'S TRIBUTE

Dr. K. N. Katju, Governor of West Bengal expressed hope today that East Bengal Club players would be as successful in their life's battle as they were in football.

He was distributing prizes to the winners and runners-up of different league matches played under the auspices of the Indian Football Association at the maidan.

Dr. Katju expressed surprise at the enthusiasm of Calcutta football fans who turned out to watch the matches in lakhs.

"I believe this enthusiasm helps them keep their health in prefect condition as the atmosphere they breathe is so healthy", he said.

The Governor congratulated the East Bengal Club as they had taken the Calcutta football crowds almost by storm and lately they had kept the banner of West Bengal aloft by their success in Delhi. "The other day I had an opportunity of watching juveniles playing, and I was simply charmed at their ball control and dribbling. I am sure in few years they will swell the ranks of first class teams like East Bengal and Mohun Bagan", Dr. Katju added.

ANOTHER DELHI SIDE MAKE THEIR EXIT

Poor Show By Raisana In Rovers Cup

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

THERE seems to be no end to a very first appearance; and to-day Club Delhi made their departure, G.I.P. Railway this evening at the procession of visiting sides participating in this years Rovers Cup making their exit in their was no exception, as Raisana certain when they succumbed to Cooperage by four goals to nil.

Whatever hopes the Bombay soccerite had of football up North being of a high standard seemed to be blotted away from their mind with the exit of two Delhi sides, a Rajputana side and an Allahabad side. The standard of soccer served by them is rather mediocre.

There was little to enthuse over in this evening's game and without duly exerting themselves G.I.P. Railway scored with considerable ease. Of course, the Railway have to thank their forwards Bhickoo, Tambe, Shiva and Aziz, who swept past a helpless defence. Full back Almeida kept the opposite attack at bay. Sukhlal in goal did no work.

There is little to mention about Raisana Club, Delhi except that their goal-keeper Bhargava served them from a shameful defeat. The defence was completely out of position. Jairaman the centre half who is familiar to Bombay as a soccer referee, played his part practically to-day, but his was a hopeless task.

G.I.P. scored twice in each half. Tambe scored in the first period both goals, while Aziz emulated him in the second scoring twice more.

The teams were:—

G.I.P. RAILWAY:— Sukhlal, Pauna, Almeida; Delgardo, B. Duncan; Gulab Singh, M. D'Souza, Tambe, Aziz, Shiva, Bhickoo.

RAISANA CLUB, DELHI: Bhargava, Trilok, Pandit; Nigam, Jairaman, Shanti; Kishan, Roy, Ismail, Das, Sen.

REFEREE:— N. K. Utchil.

KARNATAK SPORT PREVAIL

Junior Rovers Cup Football Tourney

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Karnatak Sports Club prevailed over Little Pioneers "A" by the odd goal in five in the Junior Rovers Cup Football Tournament at the St. Xavier's Collge Gymkhana ground, Parel, this evening.

S. T. Uchil, Sunder Shetty and K. Narayan scored in this order for Karnatak while C. Pakrasi and S. Chakravati were responsible for Little Pioneer's tally.

Earlier in the evening Khatau Sports Club trounced Globe Sports Club "A" by six goals to two in the same competition.

Globe were first to score both the goals. Ishwar Rao being responsible for the score. Before crossing over J. Baboo netted twice and put Khatau S. C. on level terms.

After the interival Khatau added four more goals to the tally through N. D'Souza (2) N. D. G. Rao and W. Samuel.

AMARNATH'S FOOT SHOWS PROGRESS

Will Be Out Of Cricket For Six Weeks More

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Lala Amarnath, the famous Indian test all rounder, who had come from England on s.s. "Chusan," after fulfilling his engagement in the Lancashire cricket league, left this afternoon for Kanpur by the afternoon's Punjab Mail. After a few days stay there Amarnath will leave for Patiala reaching there between the 10th. and 12th. instant.

Since his arrival, Amarnath, consulted three leading surgeons, Col. Mirajkar, Dr. Baliga and Dr. Cooper, and they were of the opinion that the wound in his foot was healing satisfactorily and that the famous cricfactorily and that the famous cricketer should be back on the cricket field in about six weeks time.

BOARD PRESIDENT'S XI TO MEET TOURISTS

Team To Be Selected From 22 Young Players

BOMBAY, Oct. 4 (PTI).

The team for the Cricket Control Board President's XI to meet the Commonwealth Cricket Team on Oct. 6, 7 and 8 will be selected from 22 promising young cricketers who have arrived here from all parts of India.

The Selection Committee including Mr. Vijay Merchant, India's captain, watched the players at the nets this morning before the selection of the team tomorrow.

The following are the players:—

G. Ramchand, S. P. Gupte, V. L. Manjrekar and B. N. Mowdawalla (all of Bombay), B. C. Alva, S. Kannayiram and Gopinath (all of Madras), M. A. Barve and S. D. Dhanvade (from Poona) R. P. Shingloo, J. N. Seth, L. C. Saxena and H. L. Vora (all of Delhi), Capt. C. J. Ramdev (Army) P. Roy (Bengal), Rajendra Nath (Bihar), D. K. Gaikwad and J. M. Ghorpade (Baroda), S. Das (Bihar), Om Prakash and Wahidullah (Uttar Pradesh) and A. R. Naidoo (Rajputana).

AUSSIE PLAYERS GET £ 70 FOR EVERY TEST

SYDNEY, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): Thousands of pounds of gate-money from the coming Tests between the M.C.C and Australia will go into the pockets of Australian players and umpires.

At a minimum of eleven men for each test £3,850 will be paid to players, and £300 to umpires.

Players will be paid £60 a match and £10 expenses. Umpires will receive £30 a match and £2 a day when out of their home states.

Women's 220 Yards Record Recognised

LONDON, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter).

International Amateur Athletic Federation today announced acceptance as a women's world record the time of 24.2 second for 220 yards returned by Mrs. Fanny Blankers—Koen, of the Netherlands, on June 29 last at Bescia, Italy.

Previous record was held by Miss Majorie Jackson, the Australian sprinter, who clocked 24.3 seconds in the Empire Games in Auckland last February.

E. I. R. WIN BERNARD SOCCER SHIELD AGAIN

KHAGAUL, Oct. 3 (PTI): In the final of the Bernard Shield football tournament here today, E.I.R. Sports Club, Calcutta, defeated Kancharapara Sports Club by the two goals to nil, annexing the shield for the second year in succession. Wewalal E.I.R.'s reputed centre-forward scored both goals.

In the Day's Sport

FOOTBALL

Cooperage
5-15 p.m. Sports Club, Trivandrum vs. President's Club, Delhi, (Rovers Cup).

St. Xavier's Ground, Parel
5-15 p.m. Dockyard "A" vs Indian Gymkhana (Dias Cup).

SWIMMING

P. M. Baths, Chowpatty:
8 p.m. Senior's championships (last day)

TABLE TENNIS

Dadar Parsee Colony Gymkhana:
6 p.m. Open Tournament.

HINDU GYMKHANA 'A' WIN NARROWLY

Bombay Billiards League

BOMBAY Wednesday.

Playing on their home table the P. J. Hindu Gymkhana "A" Team conceding 125 points by way of handicap to the G. I. P. Railway Mechanical Institute, Parel "B" beat their opponents narrowly in today's fixtures, in the final series of matches to decide the winner of the Bombay Provincial Billiards League championship. M. G. Sampat, the home team's star player, made a grand recovery, when at one stage against A. Thomas of the Railway he was nearly eighty points at one stage, when he was 60 and Thomas was 140. Playing a magnificent game, Sampat slowly but surely recovered lost ground, ultimately to level at 160. Sampat beat Thomas by 200-190.

In another match Govindsingh Mansingh of Hindu Gymkhana was much too good for D. Poynts of the other team, and beat him by 200-89.

Ramesh Jhaveri who played the third match for the home team, got the better of A. Francis, beating him by 200-122.

Once his side were assured of victory, R. R. Jhaveri, the last man of the home team, took things easy and lost his match to W. Sullivan by 171 to 200 points.

The Hindu Gymkhana thus won their tie with G. I. P. Rly. Mechanical Instntute "B" team by 766 points to 731.

ANNUAL AQUATICS AT JUBBULPORE

(From Our Correspondent)

JUBBULPORE, Oct. 3.

Nine Units of the Jubbulpore (Independent) Sub Area participated in the annual aquatic championships of the Sub Area which terminated at the Ordnance Club, Jubbulpore East, swimming Pool last evening. Sig. Gupteshwar Rai, of the 2/Tech. Trg. Regt., Corps of Signals, was outstanding, and it was chiefly through his brilliant efforts that the 2/TTR romped home champions for the year by a very wide margin.

At the conclusion of the events Mrs. K. K. Varma, wife of the Sub Area Commander, presented the trophies.

RESULTS

100 YARDS (Breast Stroke): Sig. Mahabir Singh 1/TTR 1; L/Nk. L. M. Morgan 2/TTR 2; Rect. Shreepat Pandit MTR 3. Time: I min. 36.4 secs.

DIVING: Sig. Gopalan Kutty 2/TTR 1; Boy N. Prabakaram (Boys' Reft.) 2; Sig. Chatterjee 1/TTR 3.

100 YARDS FOR BOYS (Free Style): Boy N. V. Nair 1; Boy Madhavan Nair 2; Boy Jagdish Singh 3. Time: 1 min. 13 secs.

100 YARDS (Back Stroke): Sig. K. P. Bhaskaran 3/TTR 1; Sep/Tech. K. P. Mandal C.O.D. 2; Boy Sankaran (Boys' Regt) 3. Time: 1 min. 31.3 secs.

400 YARDS (Free Style): Sig. Gupteshwar Rai 2/TTR 1; Boy P. B. Ravindran Nair (Boys' Regt.) 2; Rect. R. S. Shukla A.O.C. School 3. Time: 5 min. 49.4 secs.

200 YARDS (Free Style): Sig. Ganguli 2/TTR 1; Rect/Clerk C. R. Malik A.C.C. School 2; Sig. Chatterjee 1/TTR 3. Time: 2 min. 57.5 secs.

100 YARDS (Free Style): Sig. Gupteshwar Rai 2/TTR 1; Boy M. V. Nair Boys Regt. 2; Sig. Natarajan 1/TTR 3. Time: 1 min. 7.7 secs.

800 YARDS (Free Style): Sig. Gupteshwar Rai 2/TTR 1; Sig. Mahadeo Iyer 1/TTR 2; Rect. Vidhyalaingam MTR 3. Time: 12 min. 25.8 secs.

MEDLEY RELAY (50 Yds. Breast 100 Yds. Free 50 Yds. Bach and 50 Yds. Free Style): 2TTR 1; Boys' Regt. 2; MTR 3. Time: 3 mins. 2.5 secs.

TEAM RELAY: (6 x 50 Yds.3: 2/TTR 1; Boys' Regt. 2; 1/TTR 3. Time: 3 mins. 23.6 secs.

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS: 2/TTR 1; 26 points; Boys' Regt. 2, 11 points and 1/TTR 3, 9 points.

U.S. BREAK MACCABIAN RELAY RECORD

Israel Lead In Track And Field Events

TEL AVIV, October 4 (PTI-Reuter): The United States team today broke the Israeli international record in winning the Maccabian (Jewish Sports Festival) four times hundred metres relay in 44.8 seconds.

Other winners were:

5,000 METRES—Mike Bibnowitz (South Africa), 16 minutes 2.8 seconds.

WOMENS' 80 METRES HURDLES—Ruth Herehler (Israel) 13.8 seconds.

WOMEN'S JAVELIN—Raya Bronetein (Isreal) 28.25 metres.

Israel with 279 points led the competing nations in the track and field events which finished today.

Scores of the leading nations, with the points scored by men and women were.

First: Israel, 279 points (men 172, women 107). Second: United States 128 points (men (128). Third: South Africa 102 (men 95, women 7). Fourth: Britain 29, (men 61, women 31).

Football At Allahabad

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 4 (PTI): Two matches were played in the All-India Patu Majumdar Memorial Football Tournament this evening.

The first match which was a replay between Rama Sporting Club, Allahabad, and Ananda Bazar Patrika, Calcutta, ended in a goalless draw.

In the second match, ex-Alumni Club, Kanchrapara, defeated Luckerganj Club, Allahabad, by two goals to one.

Kanpur Side's Exit From I.F.C.S. Tournament

LUCKNOW, October 4, (PTI): Kanpur Ever Green Club made their exit from the I.F.C.S. tournament when Lucknow Sadar Y. M. A. defeated them by two goals to one this evening at the Association ground.

DON'T BE TOOLS OF PARTIES

Mr. Kamath's Advice To Postmen

KHANDWA, Oct. 4, (PTI): Mr. H. V. Kamath, member of Parliament, presiding over the third central circle provincial conference of the Union of Post and Telegraph Workers here today cautioned the workers against becoming "a limb or a tool of any political party". He told them to have their demands and disputes settled through" constitutional and conciliatory methods" and resort to strike only as the very last resort, after all avenues of peaceful settlement had been exhausted.

Referring to the demands and grievances of the post and telegraph workers still awaiting "a satisfactory outcome", Mr. Kamath said it was in the "national interest", that employees in a key service should be "enabled to put their heart into the work".

Regarding the Labour Relations Bill, Mr. Kamath said that he would assure the employees that Parliament would not be a party any measure which would be detrimental to the "welfare of state employees or to the largest national interest".

Mr. Kamath expressed satisfaction at the opening of night post offices at some places and said the Government of India might devise some arrangement by which, while proviring a weekly off to postal employees the service, like railways and transport, would continue to function, though in a limited way on Sundays as well.

UPROOT ALL FORMS OF COMMUNALISM

Sheikh Abdullah's Call To Youth

JAMMU, Oct. 4 (PTI): Sheikh Mohammad Abdullah, Kashmir Premier, said here today that the state was passing through very critical times for the last three years.

"We had been facing all crucial tests with courage and steadfastness. The present natural calamity which came in the form of heavy downpours and inundations was another test of our strength and perseverance to live as free men", he said.

Sheikh Abdullah was addressing the the staff and stundets of Memorial College, Jammu in connection with the Gandhi birthday celebrations.

He said communalism in all shapes and forms must be uprooted. This was poison which had already cost India a lot. Even the greatest man of the world had to fall a victim to this. He added that students should be aware of all vested interests and parties who were out to exploit the juvenile mind for their nefarious purposes. Young men were the cream of the nation and heavy responsibilities were on their shoulders. But in these critical times students must be firm and should not be led away by interested individuals or reactonary parties.

Lastly he said that Jammu and Kashmir were two provinces which required close contacts and ties of unity. Separation would ruin both of them. For him he said both the provinces were two eyes which were equally dear to him. The Kashmir Premier thanked the staff and students who had done magnificient work in the recent rains and floods in the Jammu provnce.

MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS COMMITTEE

Revised Budget Estimates For 1950-51 Approved

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

The Municipal Schools Committee at its meeting today approved the revised budget estimates for the year 1950-51 for the city and suburban area schools and also the budget estimates for the year 1951-52 for the city, as presented by the Secretary of the Schools Committee.

According to the budget estimates a sum of Rs. 20,92,558 is demanded by the Committee from the Municipal Corporation to be spent for primary education in the city, and Rs. 10,73,620 for the same purpose in the suburbs in 1951-52.

While forwarding the budget estimates to the Corporation, the Committe made a request that a provision of at least Rs. 5 lakhs in the budget for the year, be made for construction of Municipal-owned school buildings during the year.

The Schools Committee also approved that the employees in the suburban area schools and offices be all posted in the grades fixed for employees of similar cadres serving in the city schools and offices from April 1, 1951. Their salaries will be fixed in the new grades from April '50.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Speaking on the budget Mr. M. V. Donde (Socialist. The urgent need for good building for schools there ought to be a definite plan covering a period of ten years or even less, during which he said, the Municipality should countract suitable buildings for schools. The present condition of some of the buildings was horrible. He suggested that the Corporation should raise a loan for this purpose.

General Elections In April At Any Cost

MADRAS, October 4 (PTI): India's Chief Election Commissioner, Mr. Sukumar Sen, said here today that if one or two states did not complete the election preparations in time for the general elections to be held in April-May 1951, the rest of the country need not wait for them but could go ahead with the elections

The states which were left over could have their elections in June or July of the same year, he added.

Mr. Sen, arrived here this afternoon by air from Delhi to participate in the work of the Madras State Delimitation Committee.

SPATE OF FAKED NOTES IN CITY

Three Miniature Mints Unearthed: 14 Arrests

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Three miniature mints were unearthed in Bombay recently and 14 persons were taken into custody, the city police reported today.

The three mints detected were at Malad, Santa Cruz and Dharavi. Some counterfeit coins were also seized by the police.

Inquiries made at the Reserve Bank showed that the year 1947-48 over 11,220 faked currency notes of various denominations were detected in Bombay, while in the preceding year the figures detected stood at 13,657.

Although this year's figures were less than last year's. The police and the bank authorities fear that a very great number of such faked notes was being put into circulation almost daily.

The figures of notes detected in Calcutta, Kanpur and Madras were comparatively less. It is feared that these notes are being put out in an organised manner so that each and every city had an 'equitable distribution', it was stated.

Plastic Bangle Shop Gutted: 1 Injured

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

One person was injured and damage estimated at Rs. 30,000 caused when fire broke out in a plastic bangle shop at Dinker Chawls, Kachrapatti, Tardeo, today.

The fire which was first noticed at 1 p.m. soon spread to the adjoining 'pan-bidi' shops, eight of which were gutted.

The cause of the fire is supposed to be internal combustion of easily inflammable materials like old films and other plastic preparations which were stored in the shop.

The fire was brought under control after the Fire Brigade had battled with the flames for two hours.

The injured person was removed to hospital.

Educational Exchange Programme

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in the various branches of education.

The U. S. Government In-Service Training may be defined as on-the-job training in order that nationals from other countries may learn first-hand how U. S. Government agencies function and in order to enable them to acquire special skills to be applied in the service of their governments upon their return home. Trainees are classified into three groups: the first with all expenses paid by the U. S. Government; the second with partial expenses paid by the United States, and the remainder by the trainee, his home government or a foreign private organization interested in the training of the individual; and the third with all expenses paid by the trainee, his government or other sponsor in his own country, the training agencies making available all other facilities.

U. S. Government In-Service Training offers the following fields of specialization: agricultural collaboration, coast and geodetic surveying, fishing development, geologic investigating, industrial research and standardization, industrial training, irrigation engineering, flood control and power development, labour standards, labour statistics, women's employment, library science, mining and metallurgy, public administration, public health, sanitary engineering, general welfare services, maternal and child health and welfare, social insurance, water and power development, agricultural statistics, census procedures, labour statistics, national income and balance of payments, vital statistics, civil aviation, highways, and weather investigations.

SCHOLARSHIPS BOARD

The Act also provides for the appointment, by the President of the United States, of a Board of Foreign Scholarships, consisting of 10 members, for the purpose of selecting students and educational institutions qualified to participate in the Fulbright programme, and to supervise the exchange programme authorized by the Act. Benefits of both the Smith-Mundt and Fulbright Acts are combined to assist foreign nationals going to the United States for teaching, research or study.

Foreign professors, research workers, and students who are to proceed to the United States through Fulbright travel funds may be provided with Smith-Mundt fellowships or scholarships in dollars to the extent necessary to finance their work in the United States.

TRAVEL GRANTS

Provisions for travel grants for foreign nationals cover professors who will teach and lecture at approved institutions of higher learning in the United States, advanced scholars who will do research at approved institutions of higher learning in the United States, teachers who will participate in teacher-training seminars or other programmes especially designed for training in or observation of educational methods and techniques, and students with university degrees who will study in approved institutions of higher learning in the United States.

Students who have completed their pro-university training and cannot proceed further in their own country also receive consideration for travel grants. In addition, grants to foreign nationals for study below the American college level in American schools in the participating countries, grants to foreign nationals to study at American schools outside the United States and its possessions, and grants to foreign nationals for research and study in American institutions of higher learning in the candidates' own country may be considered as special awards. There are no grants for foreign nationals to teach in American schools in their own countries—USIS.

RESTRICTED BUSINESS IN TATA STEELS

Bombay Burmas Decline On Liquidation

BOMBAY, Oct. 4.

The Bombay Stock Exchange was fairly steady today with increased buying in cotton mill shares. Steel Shares were neglected and September production of Tata Iron and Steel Company was reported. 62200 tons in the Bazar. Indian Irons and Bengal Steels were steady.

As pointed out before the market is hesitant and operators are cautious. They show no inclination to increase their risks and look for fresh incentives. There was some increased demand for Associated Cements. Bombay Dyeings and Kohinoor shares.

At the opening Tata Steel Defds. were quoted at Rs. 1735 and after improving at Rs. 1737/8 steadied at the opening level of Rs. 1735/- with limited business. Ordinary Shares opened at Rs. 333/- and after declining at Rs. 332 steadied at Rs. 333. Indian Iron opened at Rs. 33/1 and after declining at Rs. 32/14 steadied at Rs. 33/- while Bengal Steels were done at Rs. 23/2.

Bombay Dyeing Shares opened at Rs. 930 and advanced at Rs. 940. Kohinoors were in demand at Rs. 313. Swadeshi Mill Shares were placed at Rs. 272.

Scindia Shares were done at Rs. 13/13 and Associated Cements were placed at Rs. 169. Bombay Burmas came in business at Rs. 517/8

Later on there was very little business with minor changes on quotations. Tata Steel Defds. were done at Rs. 1736-4 and ordinary Shares were placed at Rs 333. Bombay Dyeings changed hands at Rs. 938-12 while Indian Iron were quoted at Rs. 32-15, Bombay Burmas declined at Rs. 513-12 on long liquidation.

After the close of the market there were peace rumours and Tata Steels after being quoted at Rs. 1725/- steadied at Rs. 1730/- Indian Irons were quoted at Rs. 32/12.

FORWARD SECTION

MILL SHARES	
Bombay Dyeing (7/8) XD	941 4
Kohinoor Mills (6) XD	313 8
Svadeshi Mills (12-4)	271 0
Central India Mills (66) XD	243 0
Simplex India Mills (6-8)	258 8
Indore	106 4
New Great Eastern (3-2)	157 8
Gokak (12)	240 8
Century Spinning (15)	253 12
India Bleaching (8)	172 0
Swan (20)	328 8
Finlay Mills (15)	255 0
Morarji (4-8)	171 4
Edward	245 0
Meyer (6)	88 12
Apollo Mills (As. 4)	3 0
India United Ord.	11 11 6
India United Defd. (0-2-0)	1 13 6
Madhusudan (15)	160 0
Podar (9)	127 8
Khatau (5)	170 0
STEELS	
Tata Steel Ord. (16) XD	333 0
Tata Steel Defd. (79-5) XD	1736 4
Tata Steel 2nd Pref. (7-8) XD	137 12
CEMENT	
Associated Cement (6)	171 4
INDUSTRIES	
Burma (12-8)	523 12
Belapur (9)	272 8
Shivrajpur (1-8)	42 0
Scindia Steam (0-8)	13 14
Premier Construction (4)	119 8
Tata Chemical	13 5
Tata Oil (1)	41 8
Indian Iron (6-12)	33 1 6
Bengal Steel (0)12-0)	23 3
British India Corp. (0-9)	8 15
India Copper	2 12 6
Wimco (11)	233 12
Alcock (28-2)	316 4
ELECTRIC SHARES	
Tata Hydro (3)	161 0
Tata Power (25)	1612 8
Andhra Valley (30)	1443 12

CASH SECTION

COTTON MILLS	
Elphinstone (5)	59 4
Phoenix (6)	115 0
Indian Mfg. (40)	3350 0
Kurla XD	101 4
Colaba (12)	90 0
New City (11)	160 0
Minerva (12)	133 2
Bharucha	7 12
Bradbury	567 8
Bharat (2)	26 12
Mysore Defd. (4) X.D.	162 8
Madhavji (0-12-0)	26 0
Model Mills (12-8)	159 6
Lakshmi Cotton (25)	590 0
Vishnu Cotton (6)	207 8
Western India (40)	3005 0
Standard (15)	240 0
Sholapur (200)	3060 0
Sassoon Cotton Mills (0-8-0)	23 0
Hindustan Mills (40) X.D.	3410 0
Tata Mills (2-4)	50 8
Bharucha Defd. (0-4)	7 12
Ahmedabad Advance (9)	240 0
Sasoon Silk (2-10) X.D.	35 0
New Union Mills (0-8)	18 8
Madhusudan S (2-8)	32 0
Shrinivas Mills (12-8)	190 0
Raja Bahadur (4)	60 0
Berar	256 4
Victoria Mills	225 0
ELECTRIC (CASH)	
Ahmedabad Electric (1-8)	111 4
Ahmedabad New XD	107 4
Surat Electric (5)	136 14
Karachi Electric (2)	127 8
Broach (0-5)	6 1
Ajmer Electricity (0-8)	10 3
Amalgamated (0-12)	11 9
Nagpur Electricity (1-12)	27 0
Poona Electric Supply (5-2)	126 4
Bombay Suburban (3)	140 0
Jalgaon	10 10
BANK SHARES	
Imperial Bank of India (40)	1992 8
Imperial Bank P. (10)	491 0
Central Bank (1-8)	83 4
Central New (1-8)	82 8
Bank of India (4)	179 0
Union (0-5)	7 4
Baroda (2-8)	124 8
Devkaran Nanjee Bank (1-8)	35 0
United Commercial (1-8)	46 0
Jaipur Bank (1-8)	30 0
Hindustan Commercial	22 8
Mysore Bank (8)	365 0
Eastern Bank (0-14-9)	90 0
INSURANCE SHARES	
Oriental (125)	4960 0
Empire (10)	580 0
New India (2)	67 0
Jupiter (0-12)	12 14
Vulcan (0-10)	13 2
Indian Mercantile (2)	41 8
Universal Fire	8 14
B.I.C.	16 4
Industrial and Prudential	28 4
Neptune	7 0
New Great	18 4
All India General	10 4
RAILWAY SHARES	
C. P. (1-14) XD	111 0
MISCELLANEOUS SHARES	
Steam (10)	250 0
Bombay Burma New (5)	172 4
Burma (Petrol)	1 9 9
Mackenzie (6)	90 0
Port Canning (3)	52 0
Kemp and Co. (30)	342 4
Zandu Pharmacy (7)	90 0
Industrial Invest Trust (3-12)	79 8
Dharamsey Chemical (4)	57 0
Mukund Iron	5 0
Dena Trust (0-12)	12 0
Alembic (15)	118 12
Supreme Industries	72 8
Bombay Uganda	65 8
Indian Cement (1937)	24 8
Walchand Nagar Industries (15)	165 0
United Motor	28 0
Bombay Safe Deposit (27)	785 0
Hydary Construction	19 2 6
Mahamadi Steam	100 0
Gujerat Motor	26 0
Sardar Carbonic XD	750 0
Harvey Press	310 0
Estrella Batteries	39 0
National Rayon	71 0
Bombay Cycle	29 12
Jost Co.	73 12
Digvijay Cement	70 0
PREFERENCE SHARES	
Tata Steel 1st (6) XD	195 0
Andhra Valley (7)	1248-12
Tata Power (7-8)	1348 12
Hydro Electric (7)	135 10
Bombay Steamer (6)	220 0
Central India (5)	655 0
Swadeshi Mills	130 0
Vishnu Mills (7)	675 0
Laxmi	268 12
New Great Mills (5-8)	215 0
Podar Mills (4)	95 0
Shrinivas Mills	98 0
Elphinstone Mills (7)	108 12
Bradbury Mills (7-8)	345 0
Surat Electricity (3-4)	133 12
Pre Construction First	101 0
Pre Construction 2nd Pref	98 0
Amalgamated	115 0
Habib	72 0
Tata Chemical	138 12
Walchandnagar	126 4
Jupiter	12 15
Supreme	100 0
Meyer	102 8
Mackenzie (first)	92 0
Mackenzie (2)	85 0
Ahmedabad Advance	127 8
Mysore Mill	41 0
Standard	99 0
Madhusudan	12 0
Khatau	99 8
Morarji	94 8
National Rayon	78 8
DEBENTURES	
Andhra 1952	101 4
Rubber Planting	
Bombay Steamer	98 14
Indian Hume Pip	101 0
OUTSIDE SHARES	
Burma Corporation	3 2 6
New Victoria Mill	2 0
New Victoria Pref	4 0
Phalton (8)	118 12
Gold Mohor (20)	285 0
Sajjan Mills	115 0
Osmanshahi	115 0
Ajam Shahi	110 0
Air Services	4 12
Air India Tata	70 0
Hind Motor	6 3
India Steam	7 9
Tata Locomotive	98 8
Killick Industries	126 0

Indian Stock Exchange

BOMBAY, Oct. 4.

Tata Ordinary	333 0 0
Tata Deferred	1733 12 0
Indian Iron	32 15 6
Steel Corpn. of Bengal	23 3 0
Bombay Dyeing	941 4 0
Central India	243 12 0
Gokak	240 10 0
Kohinoor	313 12 0
Simplex	258 8 0
Swadeshi	279 6 0
Tata Power	1615 0 0
Associated Cement	171 4 0
Belapur	272 8 0
Bombay Burma (Old)	523 12 0
Scindia	13 14 0
Central Bank	83 4 0
New India	67 0 0
Tata 2nd Pref.	137 10 0

GOLD & SILVER

BOMBAY, Oct. 4.

The local Bullion market fluctuated within a narrow range with a restricted turnover. Arrivals are fairly large but professionals have manipulated the market.

At the opening Forward Silver was quoted at Rs. 182-11 and declined at Rs. 182-8 on small selling. At this level there was renewed buying and the market advanced at Rs. 182-14 and steadied at Rs. 182-12. Ready Mint Silver was quoted at Rs. 182-13 while Ready Bullion was quoted at Rs. 182-6.

Forward Gold opened at Rs. 111-13 and declined at Rs. 111-10. Ready Gold was placed at Rs. 111-12 and Sovereigns were quoted at Rs. 75-12.

Final quotations were as under:—

Ready Silver	182 3 0
Forward	182 11 0
Ready Gold	111 14 0
Forward	111 12 0

PRODUCE MARKET

BOMBAY, Oct. 4.

The local produce market was easy today with a sharp decline in groundnuts and oil quotations. There was utter absence of enquiry. Rajkot castorseeds were also quiet at Rs. 219-4. Quotations in the local market were as under:—

GROUNDNUTS	
Khandesh quality	43 12 0
Madras	43 8 0
Bold ready	42 12 0
November	40 8 0
Bold December	38 8 0
Bold January	38 4 0
Oil Bombay Mills	24 0 0
Oil Railway Receipt	23 2 0
Oil October	22 13 0
Oil November	22 12 0
LINSEED	
Bold ready	41 14 0
Ready Satna	40 14 0
October	41 14 0
November	41 15 0
Oil	22 8 0
CASTORSEEDS	
Bold ready	32 12 0
Madras	35 4 0
October	35 4 0
November	35 8 0
Oil First Pressure	20 0 0
Oil Bazar Quality	19 0 0

GOVERNMENT LOANS

BOMBAY, Oct. 4.

	Rs. as ps
2-1/3% 1954	98 14 0
2½% 1955	99 12 0
2½% 1961	96 13 0
2¾% 1960	99 2 0
2¾% 1962	98 13 0
3% 1976	95 8 0
3% 1955 Con	96 4 0
3% 1951/54	101 1 0
3% 1953/55	101 8 0
3% 1957	101 4 0
3% 1959/61	100 9 0
3% 1963/65	99 11 0
3% 1964	99 10 0
3% 1966/68	99 9 0
3% 1970/75	99 4 0
3½% 1954/59	104 0 0
4% 1960/70	109 4 0
4½% 1955/60	109 12 0
4% 1958/68	112 4 0
PROVINCIAL LOANS	
2 per cent Bombay 1962	99 3 0
3 per cent Bombay 1960	99 7 0
2¾% U.P. 1961	96 14 0
3½% Madras 1961	96 14 0
3% Bombay 1955	100 12 0
3% Bombay 1958	100 4 0
3 per cent Punjab 1952	102 0 0
3 per cent Madras 1952/53	100 8 0
3% U.P. 1952	100 8 0
3% O.P. 1952	100 8 0
3 per cent N.W.F. 1952	100 0 0
3 per cent U.P. 1961/66	99 2 0
MUNICIPAL	
3-1/4 per cent 1977	98 13 0
4 per cent B.P.I.	109 8 0
4 per cent B. Municipality	109 4 0
5 % B. Municipality	113 0 0
6% B. Municipality 1954	112 0 0

Alexandria Cotton

ALEXANDRIA, Oct. 3.

KARNAK—	
November	99.10+85
January	99.15+85
March	98.50—20
May	98.90—10
July	99.20—10
ASHMOUNI—	
October	91.30+215
December	91.40
February	91.85—15
April	92.30—20
June	92.75—25

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

Weekly Statement Of Affairs

The following is An Account of the Reserve Bank of India, for the week ended the 29th day of September:—

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	24,94,19,000
Notes in circulation	1095,59,45,000
Total Notes issued	1120,53,64,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1120,53,64,000
ASSETS	Rs.
Gold Coin and Bullion:—	
Held in India	40,01,71,000
Foreign Securities	583,15,11,000
Rupee Coin	60,74,20,000
Government of India Rupee Securities	436,62,62,000
TOTAL ASSETS	1120,53,64,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities: 55.613 per cent.

BANKING DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,00
Deposits:—	
(a) Government	
(1) Central Govt.	164,01,25,000
(2) Other Govts.	16,27,03,000
(b) Banks	80,29,25,000
(c) Others	60,62,47,000
Bills Payable	4,61,17,000
Other Liabilities	7,96,01,000
RUPEES	343,77,18,000
ASSETS	Rs.
Notes	24,94,19,000
Rupee Coin	13,87,000
Subsidiary Coin	1,53,000
Bills Purchased and Discounted:—	
Internal	60,50,000
Government Treasury Bills	1,05,68,000
Balances held abroad	224,04,63,000
Loans and Advances to Governments	85,00,000
Other Loans and Advances	4,20,61,000
Investments	84,70,27,000
Other Assets	3,20,90,000
RUPEES	343,77,18,000

MADRAS SHARE BAZAR

MADRAS, Oct. 4.

The following are the closing quotations on the Madras Stock Exchange.

Government of India Paper Rs. 96/9 1986 Rs. 96/4; 1953/55 Rs. 101/7; 1970/75 Rs. 99/4; 1966/68 Rs. 99/11; three per cent Government of Madras 1960 98/8/6.

BANKS: Travancore 13/10; Indian 217/8

SUGAR AND BREWERIES: Deccan 19; Mysore 46/6; Travancore 6/8.

PLANTINGS: Blue Mountain 2/14; Chembra 5/10; Devashola 16/14; Nellampathy 1/7/6; Ouchterlony 6/13/9; Pullangode 1/12; Thirumbadi 2/14; T R and T Co. 7/7; Waterfall 3/8.

TEXTILES: Bang Woollen 233; Buckingham 141/8; Ditto Pref 186; Cambodia 12/6; Coimbatore CM 153; Coimbatore Spg. 54; Dhanalakshmi 248; Janardhana 86; Lakshmi 77; Madura 36/4; Mettur 351; Radhakrishna 203; Rajalakshmi 82; Ranga Vilas 50; Trav Rayons 4/12/6; Trichinopoly 13/10; Vasanta 111/12.

MISCELLANEOUS: Andhra Cement 77; Fact 6/6; India Cement 15/12; India Steel Rolling 6/9; Mettur Chem. 5/12/6; Mysore Chem Fert 10/1/6.

Cheques Cleared

Cheques delivered through the Bombay Bankers' Clearing House during the week ending the 29th September were as under:—

Number of Cheques: 1,85,012.

Amount of Cheques: Rs. 47,81,21,198-1-5.

Sales Of Treasury Bills

During the week ended the 29th September, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 2,68,50,000 were sold in favour of the Reserve Bank of India.

Record Of Actual Transactions In Shares

BOMBAY, Oct. 4.

MILLS

Apollo 3
Bharat 27 26-12
B. Dyeing 932-8 31-4 36-4 33-12 42-8 41-4
C. India 241 43-8 42 4
Century 255 53-12
Finlay 255
Gokak 240 39-8 40-8
I. U. Defd 1-13-6
I. U. Ord. 11-12 11-11 11-11-6
Indore 102-8 6-4
Kohinoor 312-8 13 11 13-8
Madhusudan 160
Meyer 88-12
New Great 158 57 57-8
Simplex 256-8 57-8 56 60 58 59 58-8
Svadeshi 268-8 67 71 70 71
Tata Mills 50-8 51 50-8
Vishnu 207-8
Scindia 13-12 13-15 13-13 13-14

BANKS

Baroda 125 24 24-8
Central 83-4 84 83-4
Central New 82-12 83-8 82-8
Imperial Old 2005 1990 92-8
Imperial New 492-8 91-4
India 179
U Commercial 45-8 46

ELECTRICS

Ahmedabad 111-4
Ahmedabad New 108 7 7-4
Andhra 1441-4 42-12
Amalgamated 11-9
Suburban 141 4 40
Hydro 160-4 61
Hydro Pref. 135-10
Power 1615 12-8
New India 67 67-8 67

STEELS

New India 67 67-8 67
B. Steel 23-2 23-3 23-0-6 23-3
I. Iron 33-0-6 33-1 32-15 33-1-6
Tata Defd. 1736-4 40 31-4 37-8 36-4 38-12 36-4
Tata Ord. 332-8 33-12 32 33-4 33
Tata 1st Pref. 195
Tata 2nd Pref. 138 37-12

MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock 312-3 17-8 16-4
A.C.C. 169-8 70 69-4 71-8 71-4
Belapur 271 73 72-8 73-4 72 72-12 72-8
B.B. Old 521-4 23-2 14-6 23-12
B.B. New 171-14 70 71-14
B.B. Petrol 1-9-6 1-10 1-9-9
B.I.C. 8-15 8-14-6 8-15
Dharamsey 57
I. Bleaching 172
I. Copper 2-12-6 2-12 2-13 2-12-6
Port Canning 51-12 52
P. Const. 118 19 18-4 19-12 19-8
P. 2nd Pref. 101
Shivrajpur 42 43 42
Tata Chem. 13-6 13-4-6 13-5
Tata Oil 41-8 41 41-8
Walchandnagar 170 72-8
Wimco 233-12

SPECIAL

National Rayon Ord. 70 70-8 69
National Rayon Pref. 78-8
Indian Mfg. 3350
Estrela Batteries Ord. 39

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, Oct. 4.

B. C. Rates T. T. D. D. 1/5 15/16 Ready.

B. C. Rates T. T. D. D. 1/5 29/32 up to 6 Months.

London Banks Selling T. T. D. D. 1/5 31/32 Ready.

London Banks Selling T. T. D. D. 1/5 15/16 up to 6 Months.

London Banks Buying T. T. 1/6 1/32 to 9th Month.

London Banks Buying T.T. 1/6 1/16 10th 12th Month.

London Banks Buying D.D. 1/6 1/16 to 4th Month

London Banks Buying D.D. 1/6 3/32 5th and 6th Month.

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 1/8 7th-9th Month.

London Banks Buying 60 and 90d/st 1/6 1/8 to 4th Month.

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 5/32 5th and 6th Month.

London Banks buying 60 and 90d/st 1/6 3/16 7th-9th Month.

London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/6 5/32 to 4th Month.

London Banks Buyings 120 d/st 1/6 3/16 5th and 6th Month.

London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/6 7/32 7th-9th Month.

New York B C Rate T. T. Rs. 478 1/4 Montreal Rs. 435.

Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Rs. 478 1/4 Montreal Rs. 435.

Banks Buying T. T. Rs. 475 Montreal Rs. 431 3/4.

Banks Buying D. D. Rs. 472 1/2 Montreal Rs. 429 3/4.

Banks Buying D. D. Rs. 473 3/4 L/C. Montreal Rs. 430 1/2.

Paris Banks Selling T. T. Fcs. 7250

Paris Banks Buying T. T. Fcs. 7500.

Amsterdam Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Fl. 79.

Switzerland Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Fcs. 90 1/4.

Belgium Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Fcs. 1033.

Java Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Glds. 79.

Hongkong Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Rs. 83 1/4.

Singapore Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Rs. 157.

Manila Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Rs. 238 3/4.

New York/London Cross Rate dol. 2.79 7/8 to 2.80 1/8. London/Afghanistan Cross Rate/Afghani Rs. not quoted London/Alexandria Cross Rate Pia 97 1/4-3/4 London/Amsterdam Cross Rate Fl 10.63-65 London-Bangkok Cross Rate Tel. 35. London/Belgium Cross Rate Fcs. 139.90-140.10. London/Denmark Cross Rate Kr. 19.32-36. London/Hong Kong Cross Rate 1/2 27/32-1/2 15/16 London/Iran Cross Rate Rl. 89.40-91.00 London/Java Cross Rate Fl 10-63-65 London/Karachi Cross Rate 2/1.84-2/1.94 London/Lisbon Cross Rate Es 80.35 London/Manila Cross Rate Ese. 80.35 London/Montreal Cross Rate dol. 3/07 3/4 3.08 1/4 London/New York Cross Rate dol. 2.79 7/8-2.80 1/8 London Oslo Cross Rate Kr. 19.98-20.02. London/Paris Cross Rate Fcs. 979-981. London/Prague Cross Rate K. not quoted London/Singapore Cross Rate 2/4 1/16-2/4 3/16. London/Stockholm Cross Rate Kr. 14/47-50 London/Switzerland Cross Rate Fcs 12.23-12 26.

London Discts 3 Mos. 11/16 p.c.
London Discts 6 Mos. 7/8 p.c.
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent.
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent
Money: Call 3/4 per cent. 3 Mos. 1 per cent 6 Mos. 1-1/4 per cent 12 Mos 1 1/2 per cent.
Tone: Easy.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

Further Rise In Jute Shares

CALCUTTA, Oct. 4.

The market improved further in jute shares and the more speculative stocks. The volume of business was fair. Following are today's final transactions upto 3-0 p.m.:

GOVT. SECURITIES: Three per cent Govt. Paper 96/4 s lot; three per cent Loan 1986 96/7; three per cent Loan 1951/54 101/1 s lot; three per cent Loan 1957 101/2 s o lot; three per cent Loan 1970/75 99/1 s lot.

BANKS: Imperial fully paid 1985 Ditto Conty 478; United Commercial 46/4.

COTTONS: Cawnpore Textiles 9/15; New Victoria Ordy 2; Ditto Pref 3/14.

COALS: Bengal 539; Bhalgora 8/5; Burrakur 14/5; C I Coal 5/3; Dhemo Main 17/9; Ghusix and Muslia 17/2; New Churulia 1/12; Western Bengal 7; Central Kurkend 28; Equitable 49/10; New Beerbhoom 17 s lot.

JUTES: Anglo-India 313; Auckland 158 s o lot; Bally 276 s lot; Barnagore 261; Dalhousie 186/8 s o lot; Fort Gloster 404 s lots; Empire 28/4; Ganges 390; Howrah 35/9; Kamarhatty 328; Kanknarrah 233; Naihati 173; Nuddea 85; Presidency 7/3; Megna 163; Reliance 25/15.

ENGINEERINGS: Braithwaite and Co. 9/13; Indian St. Wagon Ordy 94/8; Indian Iron 33/2; Indian Steel and Wire Products Ordy 56/8; Marshalls 8/9; Jessop and Co. 18/10; Kumardhubi Eng. 7/8; Steel Corp 23/6.

MISCELLANEOUS: Burma Corp 3/2 Indian Copper 2/10; Tavoy Tin annas eleven; Karanpura Development 17/15, Dalmia Cement 5/8; Sone Valley Cement 6/12; Alluminium Cop 7/6; BIC 9; Calcutta Trams 19/4; Dunlop Rubber Ordy 45/6; Eastern Investment 156/8; Indian National Airways 2/14; Martin Burn 17/2; Jardine Henderson 169/8; Metal Corp 5/12; Rohtas Industry 5/8; British Burma Petrol 1/9; Mysore Paper 12/8; Titaghur Paper 27/2; Midnapore Zemindary 64 s lot; Assam A Saws 8/9; India Steamship 7/9.

SUGARS: Belsund 5/4; Ramnugger Cane 15.

TEAS: Gangaram 247 Ex Div; Jutlibari 9/12 Ct; Patrakola 242; Tezpor 24/4 Ex Div.

Tariff Board's Visit To Aluminium Factories

Dr. H. L. Dey, President, and Dr. B. V. Narayanaswy Naidu and Mr. B. N. Adarkar, Members, Indian Tariff Board, are leaving Bombay on Friday to inspect the aluminium factories at Calcutta, Muri and Asansol, in connection with the revision of the existing scheme of protective duty-cum-subsidy to the industry. They are expected to return to Bombay on Thursday.

AMERICAN MARKETS

INCREASED SELLING PRESSURE IN N. Y. COTTON

Wall Street Heavy With Selling Pressure

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.

Cotton fluctuated irregularly with good mill demand against textile sales meeting liberal hedges partly against CCC cotton with the latter centering mainly on 1950 December together with profit-taking attracted by Monday's sharp recovery.

Evening up in nearby October was a market feature with wide price movements reflecting liquidation versus short covering with a leading spot house (Anderson Clayton) buying October against sales of 1951 March at a 90 point difference. In the afternoon prices moved irregularly in a thin market reflecting occasional flurries of hedges and profit-taking which met mill buying and covering. The market finally closed barely steady. Sales were 275,000 bales.

Wall Street Market

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.

After scoring gains ranging to over one dollar in early dealings, activity slackened and profittaking pared many extreme advances. The initial advance took the composite average to new 20 year high and the activity was such that 640,000 shares were sold in the first hour of trading. Buyers continued to be impressed further inflationary factors, the high-level of industrial activity and corporate could take in its stride the national production authority defence priorities system. At noon the averages were industrials 229.89 and rails 69.68.

The afternoon saw buying interest waning with profittaking paring down gains. The pressure spread to most sections of which rails were seriously affected. The session closed heavy. Pressure continued until the end of session and the market finished with a predominance of losses mostly ranging to one dollar.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

Amerex Holding Co	36-3/4
Chase National Bank	38
Firestone Tyre	71-7/8
Ingersoll Rand	72-3/4
National City Bank	44-1/8
Sinclair Oil	29-3/4
Socony Vacuum	23-3/4
Texas Co	74-1/4
U.S. Smelting	49-1/2
U.S. Steel Common	39-1/4
Others unreceived.	

Volume of business on the New York Stock Exchange was 2,480,000 shares.

Chicago Grains Decline

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.

The market declined under increased profittaking and hedges attracted by yesterday's upturn and which met limited commercial demand Some selling of maize was attributed to failure of heavy frost to develop in important producing areas. Exporters supported wheat against sales of slightly more than one cargo wheat to Holland with further sales, it is believed being negotiated. Soyabeans also attracted some buying interest based on reports of an E.C.A. grant of 6,600,000 dollars to Western Germany for Soyabeanoil.

CHICAGO WHEAT

December	2.25-7/8
March	2.30-1/4
May	2.29-7/8
July	2.17-3/8

London Stocks

LONDON, Oct. 3.

2-1/2% Br Consols	£72-5/8
3-1/2% Concersion Loan 1961	£96-15/16
4% Funding Loan 1960/90	£107-1/4
3-1/2% War Loan on or after Dec. 1st '52.	£96-1/8
Chartered Bank of India	£10-7/16
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank	£85-1/2
National Bank of India	£33-3/4

Transactions on the London Stock Exchange are officially placed at 7693.

London Pepper Market Inactive

LONDON, Oct. 3.

Pepper trading was inactive, but steady. Black Lampong October shipment offered at 12sh 4 1/2d, White Muntok 18sh 3d shipping weights with White Sarawak at 18sh 9d delivered weight per pound. Cost insurance freight basis ports. Malabar afloat was quoted at 1,500 shillings and October shipment at 1,425 shillings c.i.f. freight United Kingdom.

Small Movement In Amsterdam Stocks

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 3.

There was no public interest and business was somewhat subdued in the absence of stimulating factors. Prices generally were well maintained with movements, when they occurred extremely small. Rubber stocks showed no response following the reopening of the Amsterdam rubber futures market.

Paris Bourse Steady

PARIS, Oct. 3.

Trading was mainly routine but French successes in Indo-China helped Indo-Chinese issues to a substantial rise. The freeing of the Canadian dollar meanwhile drew attention to that section. Elsewhere the markets were slow. A firmer tone, however, could be discerned in the French groups. Internationals were still inclined lower but oils and coppers showed resistance. Rentes were steadier.

Inadequate Supply Of Copper

WASHINGTON.

World supplies of copper are inadequate to meet all demand and consumption must be reduced, Chief of the non ferrous metals branch of the economic co-operation administration stated in a review of the world copper situation. On the basis of the first seven months operations he estimated world production at 2385000 metric tons and consumption at 230500. The letter however does not include United States stock piling and defence needs of 260000 so that there is a potential shortage of 180000. As world reduction by 180,000 would be virtually impossible he said

The United States has nett import requirements this year of 190000 tons plus 260000 for stock piling and it is obviously virtually impossible under free market conditions to obtain this 450000 from an indicated total of 5050000 likely to be available for export from surplus areas. Based on six months figures United States imports for 1950 are likely to be about 350000 leaving an indicated deficit of 100000. As United States producers refined stocks at January first this year are only 100000 it is questionable these stocks could be reduced may more than 65000. A United States deficit of at least 35000 indicates strictly civilian consumption must be reduced overall by about three per cent. 8, 1951. However if the basis United States production imports stock piling continue at the estimated 1950 rate the likely indicated deficit of 100000 will require an overall cut in strictly civilian consumption of about 8 to 10 per cent. The Review continued should defence requirements total 150000 tons in 1951 in addition to stock piling needs a United States of 250000 would require an overall cutback in civilian consumption of about 20 to 22 per cent. It is imperative therefore that some current estimate of likely defence programme requirement be obtained with a minimum delay as well as some indication the future rate of purchase for the stockpile programme. Other deficit countries whose requirements must also be considered need nett imports in 1950 of 225000 tons. If the United States in 1950 and 1951 obtains nett imports of 350000 from 505000 available for export in surplus areas these countries would have an indicated deficit of at least 70000 tons. These deficit countries will obviously compete with the United States in surplus areas a condition which will mean increased inflationary pressure regards price of copper in the World Market.

Jump Of Five Cents In Canadian Dollar

LONDON, Oct. 3.

The Bank of England today quoted the Canadian dollar at 2.93 to 2.98 dollars per pound sterling.

Yesterday, as a shot in the dark, it had started this newly freed currency at 2.88 to 2.93.

Today's change in London amounted to lowering the Canadian dollar from 96.4 to 94.74 United States cents. In this way the Bank of England met the overnight rate of the Canadian dollar in New York.

British trades today were worried by the jump of five cents here, and still more the range of five cents, compared with previously only half a cent, between the Bank of England's buying and selling rates.

If continued, this wide range would seriously handicap trade between Britain and Canada. Traders outside Britain would have the advantage of much finer rates in the New York free market.

Bankers hoped and believed that, when the smoke cleared, the Bank of England would set a much narrowed range.

But there is going to be an obvious difficulty of adjusting the official rate in London to the freely fluctuating rates in North America.

Increase Of Gold Reserves In Sterling Area

LONDON, Oct. 3.

The sterling areas gold and dollar reserves rose by 334 million dollars in the third quarter of the year, the British Treasury announced tonight.

On September 30, the reserves stood at 2,756 million dollars. This figure compares with 2,422 million dollars on June 30,1,984 million dollars on March 31 and 1,340 million dollars on the eve of devalution a year ago.

Rising Tendency On Brussels Exchange

BRUSSELS, Oct. 3.

The Bourse made a fairly good showing. Prices displayed a rising tendency though gains generally were moderate. The turnover showed some expansion but remained limited. Canadian shares captured some of the limelight moving up slightly in quiet dealings. Rubbers seemed to be recovering confidence and uranium miniere responded to the optimistic views on the outlook for copper.

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Contingency Fund For Bombay State

SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS PRESENTED IN ASSEMBLY

General Elections Will Cost Over Rs. 51 Lakhs

POONA, Oct. 4.

A CONTINGENCY FUND of Rs. three crores for the purpose of meeting unforeseen expenditure, pending authorisation of such expenditure by the Legislature, is proposed to be created by the Bombay Government.

The establishment of this fund has been necessitated with the adoption of the new Constitution of India and the necessary bill for the creation of the fund would be placed before the Legislature during the current session.

The supplementary demands for 1950-51, presented to the Bombay Legislative Assembly by the Finance Minister, Mr. V L. Mehta today provides for the creation of this fund and seeks the sanction of the legislature for transferring an amount of Rs. three crores from the Consolidated Fund of the State to the establishment of the contingency fund.

TOTAL GRANTS

The statement of the supplementary expenditure demands a total grants of Rs. 21,69,73,160. A major portion of the demand is on account of the capital outlay on provincial schemes of State trading. These schemes, which include the grain supply scheme, departmental management of the scheme for the distribution of cloth and yarn, scheme for the purchase and sale of penicillin, brought into force in the State following its sale at exorbitant rates after the beginning of the Korean war and the Bombay milk distribution scheme, are involving the Government in an additional expenditure of over Rs. 14,79,00,000, which the Assembly has been asked to sanction

ELECTION COSTS

The statement reveals that the holding of the next general elections in the Bombay State would cost the Government Rs. 51,80,000 of which an amount of Rs. 32,00,000 was already placed at the disposal of the Collectors for printing of electoral rolls and payment of staff required for the purpose. It was estimated that the actual conduct of the elections would cost about Rs. 19,72,000. The budget for the current year has made a provision of only Rs. 25,00,000 for the elections and the Assembly was being asked to vote for the additional amount of Rs. 26,00,000 under this head.

The statement explains that the Government of India had agreed to share half the cost of the elections and it had been requested to place an amount of Rs. 25,90,000 at the disposal of the Bombay Government, being half the estimated total expenditure on account of the elections before 31st March, 1951. In view of the fact that it might not be likely that this amount would be received from the Government of India during the current financial year, the Bombay Government was making provision for the full expenditure and hence had placed the supplementary demand before the Legislature.

The supplementary demands make a provision of Rs. one crore for investment in the Bombay State Road Transport Corporation, in which Government have agreed to contribute Rs. four crores.

It also provides for a grant of Rs. 3,33,000 to the National Defence Academy at Khadakwasla near Poona. The Government have agreed to pay in all Rs. five lakhs to the Academy. The payment has been spread over a period of three years and two instalments were being paid this year.

The Government of Bombay was paying an additional grant of Rs. 6,22 lakhs to the six universities in the State, for which a provision has been made in the demands. The budget for the year had provided for a total grant of Rs. 33,53,000 to the universities. But the universities had asked for additional grants in view of the increased expenditure.

GUJERAT FLOODS

Morarji On Relief Measures

Questions relating to the damage caused by the recent heavy floods in Gujerat were raised in the Bombay Legislative Assembly today.

The Revenue Minister, Mr. Morarji Desai, said that considerable damage had been caused in some parts of Gujerat to standing crops and had rendered some agricultural lands uncultivable. Hundreds of poor people were made homeless. The exact extent of the damage, however, was not yet available, he added.

Mr. F. B. Dabhi wanted to know whether Government had received reports of the collapse of 2,000 houses in Kaira District and that seven villages on the banks of Sabarmati had been washed away. The Revenue Minister said he had not received any reports to that effect.

Explaining the measures undertaken by Government to give relief to affected people, Mr. Desai said that free rations and clothing had been given to sufferers by the Collectors of Mehsana and Kaira. An amount of Rs. 6.05.000 had been given to the Collector of Mehsana and Rs. 20,000 to the Collector of Kaira.

MERCHANT RELIEVED OF Rs. 10,000

Incident In Poona Mail

POONA Oct 4 (PTI): An oil merchant from Gadag on his way to Bombay would almost relieved of a packet containing Rs. 10.000 at the Poona Railway Station.

The victim of the nimble-fingered thieves, it appears, after getting down from the Bangalore Mail, entrained an interclass compartment in the Poona Mail bound for Bombay.

Just as he took his seat two well dressed persons approached him and told him he was occupying a reserved seat and he should find some other accommodation for himself. Mr. Bhhomaradi agreed and moved over to the next compartment where he found after some time that the packet containing 100 notes or Rs. 100 each in the inside pocket of his coat was missing.

A complaint of the theft has been lodged with the police who have informed all banks of the number of currency notes stolen

Electrical Commissioner's Office Shifted

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

The office of the Electrical Commissioner with the Government of Bombay and all the subordinate offices situated at Foreshore Road as well as at the Hutments, Opposite Cricket Club of India, have been shifted to the Mercantile Bank Building (3rd floor), Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay. The new telephone number of the Electrical Commissioner is 22089, that of other officers and office 22080 and that of Koyna Civil Section 30456.

Sardar Sees Ajanta

AURANGABAD, Oct. 4 (PTI): Sardar Patel today visited the historic Ajanta caves, about 70 miles north-east of Aurangabad. He was accompanied by Mr. M. K. Vellodi, Hyderabad's Chief Minister, Mrs. Vellodi, and officials of the State Archaeological Department.

Sardar Patel and party returned to Aurangabad in the evening.

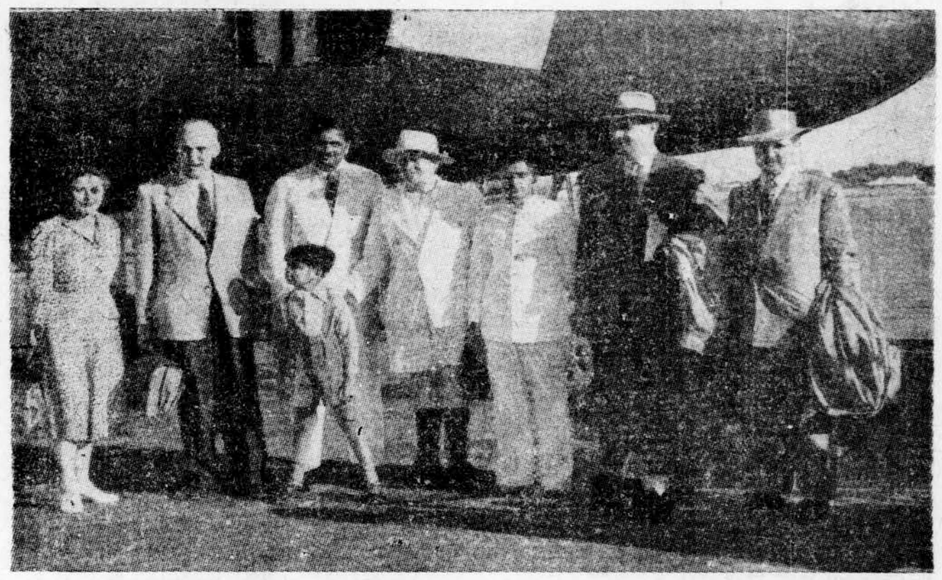
Resigned

(From Our Correspondent)

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 4.

Mr. Chhotubhai Mehta, M.L.A., President Banaskantha District Congress Committee has resigned due to differences with his colleagues.

WEST GERMAN TRADE DELEGATION



A trade delegation from Western Germany led by Dr. Van Scherpenberg, Head of the Foreign Trade Department of the West German Government, arrived in Delhi on October 2, to find ways and means of promoting trade between the two countries. The delegation was received at the Palam airport by Mr. P. Ratnam, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Commerce, Government of India. This group photograph was taken on arrival of the delegation at the airport. Appearing fourth from right is Dr. Van Scherpenberg; third from left is Mr. Ratnam and at extreme right is seen Mr. Robert Lauret, an observer on behalf of the Allied High Commission in West Germany.

MOHAN KUMARAMANGALAM RELEASED

Detention Held Illegal By Madras High Court

MADRAS, Oct. 4, (PTI).

JUSTICES Govinda Menon and Basheer Ahmed Sayeed delivered judgment to-day in the habeas corpus petition filed on behalf of Mohan Kumaramangalam, a detenu in the Central Jail, Vellore, holding his arrest and detention illegal and directing his release forthwith.

Their Lordships observed that the petitioner was a graduate of the University of Cambridge and a Barrister-in-Law who had applied for his release. According to his affidavit in support of his application it was stated that while he was residing permanently in Bombay he was arrested on June 26, 1950 by the Bombay Police, and no warrant was shown to him at the time of his arrest.

A habeas corpus petition was later filed in the Bombay High Court, Meanwhile the petitioner was transferred to the Central Jail Vellore, following telegram dated July 5, 1950 said: "Mohan Kumaramangalam, top-ranking Communist of Madras, has been arrested and detained by the Bombay Police. The arrest was effected mainly because he was wanted by the Madras Police for detention.

"There is not much specific material to form the basis of grounds to sustain his detention in Bombay. The Bombay Government therefore propose to transfer him to Madras and solicit the Madras Government's consent under Section 2 (1) of the Transfer of Detained Persons Act, of 1949. Intimation of consent and also name and place of jail in Madras to which Kumaramangalam should be transferred may be sent by wire".

The Madras Government agreed to the transfer and Kumaramangalam was brought to the Central Jail, Vellore.

OBSERVATIONS

Their Lordships stated that the Habeas Carpus petition filed by the petitioner in the Bombay High Court was disposed of on July 13, 1950 and an order of that Court stated that the Assistant Government Pleader informed the Court that an order of the petitioner's release had been sent and in view of this no order of that court was necessary.

Their Lordships observed that the petitioner's contention was that he had not been released in pursuance of that orders of the Bombay High Court. While matters were in that stage, the petitioner was serverd on July 12, 1950 with a detention order dated April 13, 1950 issued by the Commissioner of Madras.

JURISDICTION

Dealing with the territorial jurisdiction of the States of India raised by the petitioner their Lordships observed: "The position, in our opinion, was that the policy and structure of the government were federal in nature and constitution but that in actual practice, federation with the Indian States had not become an established fact. Whatever might have been the structure of the Government of India and provinces prior to the coming into existence of the Indian Republic, after January 26, 1950, there is no doubt whatever, that the territory of India consists of a union of autonomous constituent States.

"It seems to us, therefore, that when the Commissioner of Police, Bombay arrested the petitioner as he was wanted by the Madras police for detention the arrest was illegal and the petitioner's detention was also illegal.

When the petitioner was transferred to the Vellore Jail, the provisions of the Bombay Act alone could apply to him, as if he had not been removed from that State.

"In our opinion", Their Lordships observed, "the Bombay police or the Bombay Government cannot arrest the petitioner, because according to us there is no provision analogous to Section 82, Cr. P. C. in the Preventive Detention Act of 1950. The Bombay police cannot arrest him for being detained in the Madras State. It was on that basis that after the petitioner was transferred to the Madras State the order of detention passed by the Commissioner of Police Bombay was cancelled. And therefore, when once his order of detention has been nullified by the cancellation of the same, it cannot be validated by the Madras Government by serving a fresh order of detention. Since the Bombay Government detention passed on the petitioner, the proper procedure to be followed should have been for the Madras Government to have released him, and if they considered that he should be detained in the State of Madras, a fresh order of detention should have been served on him.

DETENTION GROUNDS

Referring to the grounds of detention afforded by the Madras Government for the detention of the petitioner, Their Lordships observed that on the material placed before them it seemed to them that the grounds of detention afforded sufficient justification for the action of the Government of Madras.

After quoting the observations in the judgement of the Supreme Court in Macchindra Shivaji versus King, Their Lordships said, that they agreed with the observations of the Supreme Court that they could no go into the merits of the grounds for detention.

Finally, Their Lordships held "as a result of the order of the Commissioner of Police, Bombay cancelling the detention of the petitioner he is entitled to be released forthwith".

AFTER RELEASE, A FRESH GAG

MADRAS, Oct. 4. (PTI).

THE Madras Government are issuing a fresh order for the re-arrest and detention of Mohan Kumaramangalam, Communist leader, now under detention in the Central Jail, Vellore, who has been directed to be released by the Madras High Court today. An official spokesman said here today that Mohan Kumaramangalam would be re-arrested as soon as the High Court order releasing him was formally served on him.

LIQUOR PERMITS IN MADRAS

Minister's Statement

MADRAS, Oct. 4. (PTI): Mr. N. Sanjiva Reddi, Prohibition Minister, Madras, told a questioner in the State Assembly, which commenced a twelve-day session here today, that liquor permits had been granted to 490 officers of Government. Of them, nine were Indians, one Anglo-Indian and 39 Europeans.

A Congress member asked: "If the Government really believes in prohibition; is it proper for them to allow their officers to break the Prohibition law by the night and administer it by day?"

The Minister said that considering the thousands of officers employed in various departments of Government, 49 was a small number further, these permits were granted generally only on grounds of ill-health.

Mr. K. Madhava Menon, Education and Law Minister, told a questioner that Government were considering the revision of the list of backward communities to be given preference in appointments.

The Migrants

CALCUTTA, Oct. 4 (PTI): During the past 24 hours 6,350 Hindus and 3,565 Muslims arrived in West Bengal from Eastern Pakistan by rail and 6,285 Hindus and 2,512 Muslims left, a West Bengal press note stated today.

The Punjab Assembly passed on Wednesday six official bills, some of which sought to replace ordinances promulgated earlier.

Malan Attacks U.K. Labour Party

CHAMPIONS COLOUR POLICY

KIMBEKLEY, Cape Province, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): Prime Minister Daniel Malan today attacked critics of South Africa in Britain, in an address to the Cape Nationalist Party here.

He was speaking on a motion which deplored resolutions decrying South African policy now before the British Labour Party Congress in Margate, Kent.

Similar criticism of the Union colour policy Dr. Malan said, had been made at the British Liberal Party, "that once strong but now small and dying party.'"

NOT BRITISH COLONY

"I want to remind people overseas in general who attack us—who have been Ministers in a few cases and Members of Parliament—that they ought to know better.

"I would remind that South Africa is not a British colony.

"It does not become them to criticise another country which is free and independent in the fullest sense of the word."

Dr. Malan stressed that South Africa wanted to be good friends with England and would go far to preserve that friendship, he added:

"Even the Prime Minister of South Rhodesia on a visit to England recently was criticised on Rhodesia's colour policy. He said just what I would have said: 'You are running the risk of driving Rhodesia and England apart, If you want to maintain friendly relations you must stop that sort of criticism'."

7 Killed In Brazil Elections

GUN BATTLES BREAK OUT IN MANY TOWNS

RIO DE JANEIRO, Oct. 4 (PTI-Reuter): Seven people were reported today to have been killed in gun battles during yesterday's voting in Brazil's general election.

Federal Senator Ismar Gois Monteiro was among those injured.

Shooting broke out between Government and opposition troops in the towns of Campus, Miracema, and Bao Pedro Daaldeio, in the State of Rio De Janeiro.

In Campos the Deputy Sheriff was shot dead while trying to restore order. In the other two towns local political leaders were killed.

They were electing a new President, a new Chamber of Deputies, one third of the Senate, State Governments and Legislatures, Mayors and Municipal Councils.

Assam Relief Fund

(From Our Correspondent)

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 4.

The Majur Mahajan of Ahmedabad has decided to contribute about rupees one lakh each to the Assam Relief Fund and the Sardar Jayanti Fund. The Mahajan will collect one rupee from each labourer.

IN A CHINA SHOP

By Taurus

THE DISTRICT AND SESSIONS judge of Panch Mahals who has issued an order that all lawyers attending his court should wear a black coat, white band and gown has acted on the well known principle that it is the dress that maketh a man in spite of all the things which Bacon said about reading, writing and arithmetic. This point is the moral of a story current in the school books, but which certainly deserves a wider and more discriminating circulation. A poor man, it would appear, went to a marriage feast and sat down (as is customary) without an invitation for a sumptuous dinner. The server who had a somewhat fastidious taste stopped when he came to his plate and after a summary look asked him to make himself scarce. And the man went away disappointed. A dhoby's shop on his way, however, gave him an inspiration, and he invested all the loose coin he had for hiring the best that the dhoby could offer for the amount, and attired in his debonair fashion returned again to the place where the feast was still on. The host saw him approaching at a distance. He hastily made way for the distinguished guest, who, he naturally thought, belonged to the bride-groom's camp. A special place was provided, and special dishes brought out (it is to be hoped) by another server. Imagine the surprise of the host when the distinguished guest instead of swallowing the tasty morsel filled his capacious pockets with it. The explanation was not long in coming; the dinner, he pointed out, was not for the man but for the dress....

It is to be regretted, however, that the Panch Mahals judge left out the wig from his edict. There is nothing more awe-inspiring to the prisoner in the dock and the faltering witness than that addition to the lawyer and the judge's crown. Possibly the fear that wigs are a scarce commodity held the hand of the judge. Or was it because the order could not be enforced on the feminine members of the bar who will certainly draw the line at an article which will place a burden on their heads?

INTUC TO MEET AT JAMSHEDPUR

Organisation's Policy To Be Reviewed

NEW DELHI, Oct. 4 (PTI): The Indian National Trade Union Congress will hold its third annual session at Jamshedpur on October 29 and 30, it was announced here today.

Deliberations of various committees of the INTUC will begin from October 25.

Special significance is attached to this session as it is expected to make a "thorough review" of the INTUC's basic policy which puts more reliance on conciliation and arbitration than on strike.

It will also consider the relationship between the INTUC and Government in the light of the present economic situation and fresh developments in the labour movement, it is learnt.

One of the important items on the agenda is to consider certain changes in the INTUC constitution.

NEED FOR CHANGE IN POLITICAL OUTLOOK

Morrison Explains Labour Party's Policy

MARGATE, KENT, October 4 (PTI-Reuter).

DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER, Robert Morrison, addressing the British Labour Party Conference here today, urged co-operation between all peoples—"not only between the peoples of the white countries but with the coloured peoples as well."

He told 1,500 delegates attending the Party's annual conference here, "if we do not face up to the problem of the undeveloped areas—the political problems of peoples not yet fitted for the arts of self-government or administration—then we are asking for trouble, this can be the cause of future wars, as the old fashioned imperialism was the cause of wars in the past.

That was where the British Labour Party differed in outlook from opposition leader Winston Churchill, "who still has a good deal of the old imperialist in him", Mr. Morrison declared. "But let us have a heart—he cannot help it; he was born that way."

Mr. Morrison said the British Labour Government was not seeking a sterling or dollar imperialism. "Not are we pursuing the old Tory (Conservative) approach, nor are we following Kremlin imperialism and political exploitation."

NATIONALISATION

Mr. Morrison was speaking on the Party's policy statement, "labour and the new society", published earlier this year, which will be the basis for the Party programme in the next election.

He repeated earlier Labour statements that the privately-owned cement and sugar industries as well as industrial assurance, "are within the field of eligibility for consideration" as nationalised undertakings.

"But we do not think it wise, at any rate at this stage, to commit the Party to a timetable for socialisation", he said

"We must consider what the national interest requires in the circumstances obtaining when decisions have to be made.

Mr. Morrison called for a "mental transformation" within the Labour movement.

Under capitalism it was natural for workers to feel instinctively that there should be "a row with the boss from time to time, even if it was only for the sake of his soul."

But public ownership brought greater responsibilities and people must remember not to approach everything on the basis of old antagonism.

Sepoy Shoots Havildar Dead

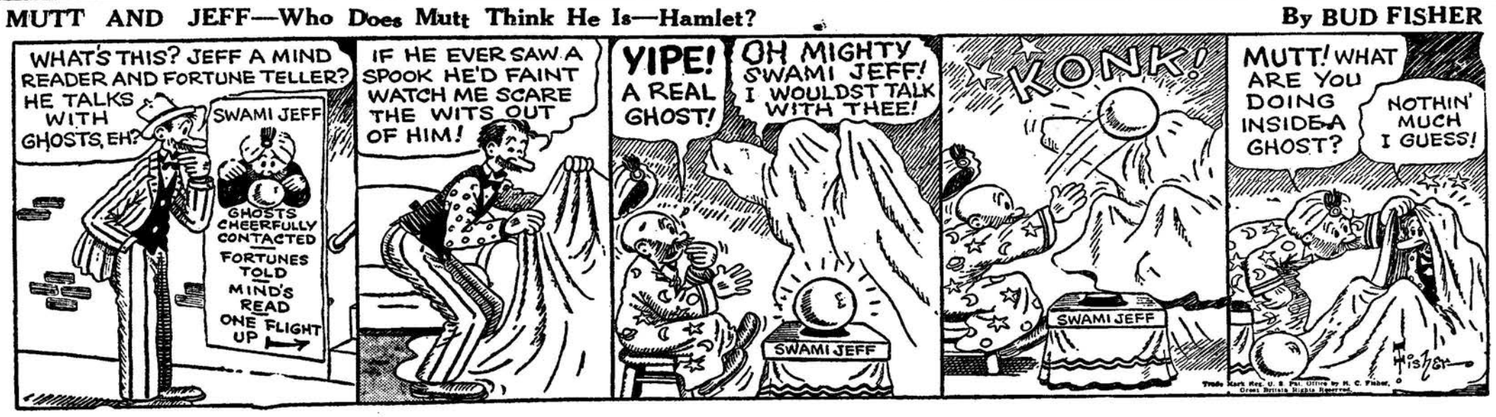
NEW DELHI, Oct. 4 (PTI): A sepoy of the Indian Army shot dead a havildar of his unit and fired at a sentry on duty in Delhi Cantonment on Tuesday morning.

After firing three rounds at the havildar, he is alleged to have bayoneted the victim in the abdomen. He is stated to have attempted to commit suicide by firing a shot at himself, but the bullet missed him. He fired at another sentinal who challenged him but the bullet went off the mark

The sepoy, who had exhausted all his bullets, himself reported the matter to the Military authorities who put him in the quarter guard.

A Court of Inquiry against the alledged assailant has been ordered.

MUTT AND JEFF—Who Does Mutt Think He Is—Hamlet? By BUD FISHER


WHAT'S THIS? JEFF A MIND READER AND FORTUNE TELLER?
HE TALKS WITH GHOSTS, EH?
SWAMI JEFF
GHOSTS CHEERFULLY CONTACTED
FORTUNES TOLD
MIND'S READ
ONE FLIGHT UP
IF HE EVER SAW A SPOOK HE'D FAINT WATCH ME SCARE THE WITS OUT OF HIM!
YIPE! A REAL GHOST!
OH MIGHTY SWAMI JEFF! I WOULDST TALK WITH THEE!
SWAMI JEFF
KONK!
SWAMI JEFF
MUTT! WHAT ARE YOU DOING INSIDE A GHOST?
NOTHIN' MUCH I GUESS!
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